

## Final BULLETINS

### French to Patrol More of Germany

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Truman told the French Foreign Minister today the U.S. is willing to relinquish to France a part of the American zone of occupation in Germany.

The President, following a conference with Minister Georges Bidault, issued a statement saying details of the relinquishment "have already been conveyed informally to the French government and are now in the process of being formalized."

### Censorship Eased

WITH THE 1ST CANADIAN ARMY (CP)—Rigid censorship of personal mail now has been lifted to a large extent by the 1st Canadian Army.

All soldiers now can mention geographical locations in letters, and postcards disclosing locations also can be mailed.

### Freed French Slaves Protest Black Market

PARIS (AP)—Three hundred Frenchmen liberated from slave labor in Germany paraded along the Champs Elysees today shouting "Down with the black market." The demonstration highlighted conditions here under which virtually all city dwellers are forced to patronize the wide-open black market to live, although rationing with controlled prices is theoretically in effect.

### Opposed By Italians

ROME (AP)—The Italian press gave a hostile reception today to the reported statement by a French foreign office spokesman that France would seek an adjustment of her frontiers at the future peace conference.

### Jap Vessel Sunk By U.S. Airmen

WITH U.S. AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS, Aleutians (AP)—U.S. army airmen sank a Japanese vessel tentatively identified as an escort ship, destroyer or small cargo ship Wednesday at the Katsuka naval base on Shumushu Island in the Kuriles, where on May 11 they surprised an enemy convoy and accounted for six cargo and escort craft sunk or damaged.

### Great Crop Loss In Ontario

TORONTO (CP)—Hon. T. L. Kennedy, Ontario minister of agriculture, said today the crop loss to Ontario farmers as the result of continued rainfall will total more than \$50,000,000 "in dollar bills."

He said loss up to the present is estimated at between \$25,000,000 and \$35,000,000. It is expected the fruit loss in the province will reach 50 per cent of the anticipated crop, he said.

### Monty Invited

FORT WILLIAM (CP)—This city takes people at their word. Yesterday, Field Marshal Montgomery said in a broadcast to Canadians that he hoped "one day to visit your great country—if you ask me."

Today, an official civic invitation went forward from the Lakehead town by cable to the Field Marshal. It read: "Famed for his fighting men and his warm Canadian hospitality, Fort William invites you forthwith."

### Merritt Due Tuesday

VANCOUVER (CP)—Lt. Col. Cecil Merritt, V.C., is expected to arrive in Vancouver by plane Tuesday. A civic reception is planned for Tuesday evening. Col. Merritt will be presented with a gold watch and scroll from the city.

### Laval Reported Returned to France

PARIS (AP)—Pierre Laval was believed to be in France today, but no one was sure of the whereabouts of the former Chief of the Vichy government or in whose custody he was held.

Official spokesmen were unable to say whether Laval was in Spanish, British or French hands, but they said they believed he was in France.

(The London Daily Mail's Paris correspondent reported Laval returned to France in a British warship at "an unspecified port believed to be on the Atlantic coast," and was waiting transportation to Fresnes Prison.)

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## Hint Jap Cabinet Behind Peace Move

### Says Navy Men Led 1 Phase Of Halifax Trouble

HALIFAX (CP)—A crowd of "several hundred naval personnel" led one phase of the V-E Day destruction in Halifax, Sub-Inspector J. C. Storey of the R.C.M.P., testified today at the judicial investigation into the rioting being conducted by Mr. Justice R. L. Kellock of the Supreme Court of Canada.

The mountie officer said he was standing in the R.C.M.P. office in downtown Halifax May 8 when the navy men burst through a crowd of civilians and proceeded on a window-smashing spree until they were out of his sight.

Sub-Inspector Storey took the stand after Assistant Commissioner A. N. Eames, head of the R.C.M.P. in Nova Scotia, had completed his evidence. The assistant commissioner was questioned by City Solicitor Carl P. Bethune and Hugh O'Donnell, Defence Department counsel.

All classes of people, both service personnel and civilians, were drinking at 4 p.m. on V-E Day, Commissioner Eames said in reply to questioning by Mr. Bethune.

Asked if he had heard any rumors of subversive activities, the commissioner replied the war was still on and he would not answer the question.

### SEAMEN DISCONTENTED

Mr. Justice Kellock asked the witness if he had heard that service personnel stationed in Halifax had been discontented. He replied in the negative for the Navy, Army and Air Force, but said merchant seamen, mostly of foreign origin, had been discontented.

Mr. O'Donnell took over examination of the witness and drew the information that all available R.C.M.P. personnel were available to the city police on request, but up to Monday midnight there had been no request from city authorities.

They had not been called out on V-E Day because there were at least 10 points in Nova Scotia where they might have been needed.

Commissioner Eames testified Thursday that he, personally, had not seen any servicemen in possession of looted goods other than liquor.

### Army Offenders Returned From Italy

OTTAWA (CP)—The Defence Department in a statement today said that a number of soldiers undergoing sentences of varying lengths were returned from Italy and were sent to Fort Henry at Kingston, Ont.

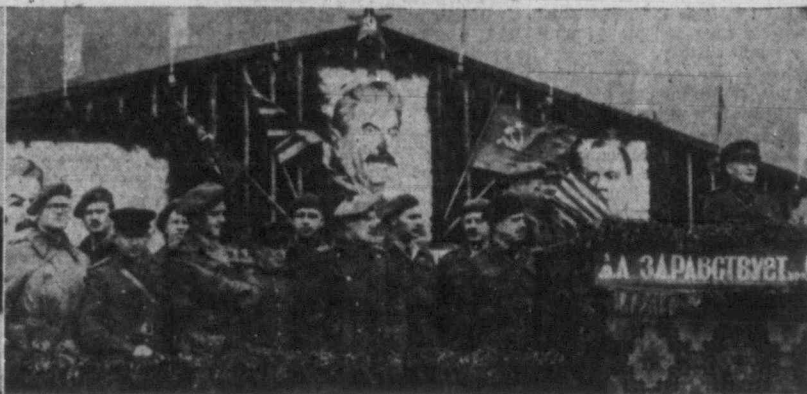
Some of them will complete their sentences there, while others will be sent to penitentiaries and military detention barracks.

(A dispatch from Kingston this week said almost 200 Canadian army personnel had been brought to Fort Henry on a special train to be confined there under sentences of varying length for breaches of military law.)

### Canadians Join Freed Russians at Celebration in Germany



Addressing newly liberated Russians at a camp in Germany is Brig. G. E. D. Farmer, Hamilton, Ontario.



Senior officers of the Canadian Corps mingle with Russian officers on this special stand erected at the prisoner of war camp for the celebration of May Day, the big day each year for workers in Russia, as it was years ago for most of the other countries of Europe.

### Need Diplomacy or Steamroller At Conference On Veto Rights

SAN FRANCISCO (CP)—Reports circulated through the United Nations Security Conference today that only diplomacy of a high order, or plain steamroller tactics can avert long committee debate over the veto rights proposed for the big powers in the Dumbarton Oaks agreement. However, there were some indications a decision might come today.

The committee on structure of the Security Council sat long and argued heatedly Thursday afternoon, with Australian and New Zealand delegates vigorously opposing the idea that a major power permanent member of the Security Council should be permitted to veto enforcement action taken to make that power keep the peace.

### YALTA PROPOSAL

The power of veto arises from the fact that the Dumbarton Oaks agreement, as completed at the Churchill-Stalin-Roosevelt conference at Yalta, provides that major decisions of the Security Council must have the affirmative vote of the Big Five—Britain, the United States, Russia, China and France.

If any one of them votes against a move to take military action to prevent aggression, the action may not be taken. Each of the Big Five would enjoy this right, even if it were the alleged aggressor.

Undoubtedly some sort of compromise on this issue, designed to placate the opponents of veto power, will emerge from the private councils of the Big Five.

Canada took no part in Thursday's discussions, but was represented by L. B. Pearson, ambassador to the U.S., who will make a submission before the discussion is ended.

Canada's attitude is expected to be against the principle of veto power but favorable to some exercise of veto in cases to be set forth specifically in the charter of the world organization.

Unofficially, Canada is believed to feel that if one of the Big Five became an aggressor, the whole structure of the organization would collapse and talk of veto rights would be meaningless.

TEST VOTE TODAY

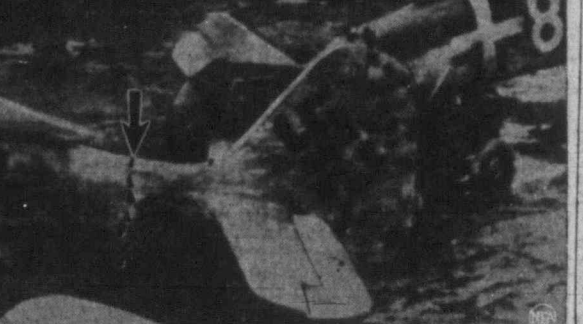
Sir Alexander Cadogan, British Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, said a test vote on the question might come in committee today.

Opposition to veto powers also was expressed by a Netherlands representative who called for changes to meet the Dutch position that "no veto should be given to any state except if this were to be considered necessary in questions of coercion by armed force of third parties, and then only to the great powers directly concerned."

### Guilty of Arson

OTTAWA (CP)—Harold McLinton, 34, pleaded guilty today at the opening of his trial on a charge of arson arising from a fire in his father's farm home at nearby Thin Elm Feb. 10, which threatened the life of his wife, his five children and his father.

He will be sentenced later. McLinton was acquitted last Thursday by an assize jury of a charge of attempted murder arising from the fire.



### British Sink Jap Cruiser In Malacca Strait

LONDON (CP)—British ships and aircraft sank a Japanese cruiser of the 10,000-ton Nats class May 16, some 50 miles west-southwest of Penang on the Malay Peninsula, the Admiralty announced today.

The ship was sunk after being spotted in north Malacca Strait by carrier aircraft, the announcement said.

The enemy was first sighted by aircraft operating from the escort carrier Shan. The cruiser was proceeding on a southeasterly course and was accompanied by one destroyer. A small supply ship and a submarine chaser were sighted in the vicinity.

The naval aircraft concentrated on the cruiser, scoring one probable bomb hit. Meanwhile, a force of destroyers led by H.M.S. Saumarez proceeded to intercept and make contact with the enemy at night.

Torpedo attacks were carried out by the destroyers and shortly after midnight the Jap cruiser was seen to sink.

The Royal Navy force included the destroyers Venus, Virago, Vigilant and Verulam.

The Saumarez sustained a small number of casualties. The other British destroyers suffered neither casualties nor damage.

### Newspaper Cited

WASHINGTON (AP)—The U.S. House of Representatives veterans' committee today cited for contempt a newspaperman who refused to divulge the source of information on which he based a series of articles criticizing the veteran administration.

The newspaperman, Albert Deutsch, 39, an employee of the newspaper P.M., based his refusal on "professional ethics."

The sinking was announced in London Thursday night. (See story page 3.)

### Chinese Fighting Outside Foochow

CHUNGKING (AP)—Fighting continued outside the east China coast city of Foochow today after Japanese reinforcements, rushed in from the nearby coastal towns of Lienkong and Mamoi, had forced the withdrawal of Chinese assault forces which entered the city a week ago.

The Chinese high command, announcing the withdrawal, said more than 400 Japanese troops had been killed in street fighting in Foochow, former treaty port of 322,725, situated just across Formosa Strait from the northern tip of Formosa in the area where the Japanese fear Allied landings.

In the Hunan province fighting, the Chinese said, organized enemy resistance northwest of Shamen and southeast of Kaoh-sha, a highway town 55 miles west of Paoching, has been crushed and Japanese units have suffered 1,000 casualties.

### Weather Forecast

Victoria and Vicinity—Saturday: Moderate to fresh winds, fair and mild with slightly higher temperature. Thursday's Temperatures—Min. 47; Max. 59. Sunshine: 1 hr. 24 mins. Temperature noon Friday, 56.

## Full Surrender Terms May Have Soviet Backing

By JOHN KIMCHE  
Reuter's Political Correspondent

LONDON—The peace offer said to have been made by Japanese industrialists to Britain and the United States through Soviet diplomatic channels—unofficially reported from San Francisco—evidently reflects the view of the present Japanese government as seven of 10 members are closely connected with big business.

Now that this reported peace approach has been disclosed, the Allies will be able to see if the Japanese government can assert itself against the military and Fascist die-hards, particularly those commanding the Japanese armies in China and Manchuria.

The Soviet comment reported from San Francisco that, in the view of the Soviet government, the Japanese offer is no guarantee against further aggression, confirms the view held in London that the Soviet government will from now on pursue a more active policy in the Far East.

One form which well-informed diplomatic circles consider the Soviet policy will take is an ultimatum to Japan to the effect that unless Japan accepts the full Allied surrender terms and cedes her conquests on the mainland the Soviet Union will join the Allies to remove the dangers of further Japanese aggression.

RUSSIA MAY ACT

NEW YORK—The Paris radio quoted British diplomatic circles today as saying that "Russia might join the war by first addressing an ultimatum to Japan, demanding acceptance of the terms of total surrender to the Allies and abandonment of all Japanese conquests on the continent." The broadcast was recorded by CBS.

Expert Appointed To Survey Possible B.C.E.R. Purchase

VANCOUVER (CP)—W. C. Gilman, senior partner of the New York firm of W. C. Gilman and Co., engineers and financial consultants, has been appointed to give expert advice on the proposed purchase of the B.C.E.R. as a public utility, Mayor J. W. Cornett announced today.

Mr. Gilman met this afternoon with the nine-man committee representative of B.C. municipalities interested in the proposed B.C.E.R. deal.

He was selected by a sub-committee headed by Mayor Cornett and composed of Premier Hart, Mayor Percy George of Victoria and Mayor W. M. Nott of New Westminster.

The survey is to determine: 1. Whether the purchase of the B.C.E.R. is feasible; 2. If it is feasible, what is the best method of carrying it out.

### 5 Ships Crash In New York Fog

NEW YORK (CP)—Heavy fog which hung over New York Bay Thursday night and early today caused collisions involving four freighters and a 6,000-ton tanker. Commuters to Staten Island were delayed aboard ferries in the harbor, in some cases for 30 minutes.

Sixty of 65 storage tanks at the Oshima naval oil storage centre, the Japanese fleet's largest, were put out of operation.

The Otake oil refinery, one of the Empire's largest, was forced to cease operations. The B-29s covered the target area so effectively that only two small pockets in extreme corners of the plant area remained undamaged.

Not one of the B-29s was lost in those raids.



WHY OKINAWA GAINS ARE MEASURED IN YARDS—This scene is typical of the fighting on the island 325 miles south of Japan, where most of the U.S. gains have been made not in miles but in bitterly-contested yards and feet. Reason is the intricate system of pillboxes and caves set up on every ridge in the southern section of the island. Fanatical Japs, holding out to the last man, must be exterminated as shown above, where soldiers of 10th Army's 27th Division stand outside a pillbox with rifles ready. One of them prepares to toss in another grenade, after previous blast had blown out the Japs whose bodies lie before entrance to tomb used as pillbox.





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## Uproar in Court At Nelson; Douks Strip in Protest

NELSON, B.C. (CP)—One of nine Doukhobors on trial here on charges of disrobing in a public place stripped off all her clothes in police court Thursday and three others, one man and two women, partially undressed.

The lone woman who refused to wear any clothes was Mary Tamelin, who was arrested May 9 after she had stripped in the city hall and walked on to the street wearing only shoes. Her demonstration followed by only a day the stripping by 12 other Doukhobors in front of the provincial jail. The 12 knelt on the sidewalk, sang and prayed until taken into custody.

The group were protesting against imprisonment of other members of the religious sect.

Thursday's stripping caused an uproar in the crowded courtroom as police officers attempted vainly to keep the Doukhobors dressed and keep court procedure moving.

The presiding magistrate, William Brown, made no remarks. The courtroom stripping recalled a similar demonstration in a Vancouver courtroom a year ago when more than 30 Doukhobors appeared on charges of parading nude in Stanley Park last May 7.

Before adjournment Thursday, Magistrate Brown sentenced five of the nine to jail sentences ranging from three months in Nelson jail to two years in penitentiary. Those sentenced were: Polly Efanoff, 70, who admitted the charge and was sentenced to three months in jail; George Volkin and Alex Solovieff, who also admitted the charge and were sentenced to 18 months at the Oakalla prison farm; Alexander Efanoff, who admitted the charge and was sentenced to two years' imprisonment in the penitentiary; and Pete Tamelin, who denied the charge but was found guilty and sentenced to two years in the penitentiary.

George Volkin, first charged, when asked if he was married and if his wife was alive, said: "Yes, she's alive. I've got lots of them."

He said he had come to Nelson from Krestova, 16 miles away, and disrobed to ask for release of their brothers and sisters (other members of the religious sect).

Alex Efanoff told the court: "We want all people who have sons, husbands and brothers in the army to be released." He also said they had come to demand release of "our brothers and sisters."

Pete Tamelin declared: "I was not only nude on May 8 but I was born nude and have spent part of my life nude because of my religion." He said he could take his clothes then, and already scantily clad, attempted to strip.

"Who can accuse me when I was doing this because of the laws of God?" he asked. Annie Kufitoff, when asked if she wished to go back to Krestova, said:

"We must be here. One for all and all for one. You can't send your feet in one direction and your head in another."

"Are you married?" questioned Magistrate Brown.

"We live as sisters and brothers. We have no husbands; we have only brothers."

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Assortment of new quilts, various sizes, \$1.25 to \$4.85; gay, multi-colored knitted caps, 65¢; buttons, clothing, oddments, superfluties, bulk lavender, sachets. Committee for Medical Aid for China, 737 Pandora.

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Hot luncheon, Metropolitan Church, Monday, 12 to 1.30. Price 50 cents.

Job's Daughters' bazaar, Orange Hall, Courtney Street. Sale of work, afternoon tea, 2 p.m., Saturday.

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The Shawnigan Beach Hotel is now open for the season. Phone Cobble Hill 48, or Victoria office, 718 View Street, G 4834.

St. Michael's School Old Boys' Examination for annual scholarship (value \$75), presented by Old Boys, will be held on Saturday, May 26, at 10 a.m., at the school. Application to be sent in by May 19 to headmaster, who will give details. K. C. Symons, G 6050.

The Channel Islands Society are holding a tag day on Saturday, May 19, proceeds in aid of the evacuated children. Taggers are needed. Headquarters Esquimalt taggers, 1401 Esquimalt Road, phone E 9594.

The Victoria Boller-makers and Iron Shipbuilders Building Co-op. Association: The annual meeting of the above association will be held in the Boller-makers' Hall on Monday, May 21 at 7.30 p.m.

Women's Canadian Club, Empress Hotel, Tuesday, May 22, 2.30. Speaker, Mrs. Kenneth Drury. Subject: "The San Francisco Conference."

## 7 War Medals for Service In Various Fields To Be Awarded

By JOHN DAUPHINEE  
LONDON (CP) — Canadian servicemen and service women in the United Kingdom will qualify for a new defence medal which is being struck, along with six new campaign stars, Prime Minister Churchill told the House of Commons today.

He said in addition: "The currency of the 1939-1945 Star has been prolonged until this month and the award will be described as the 1939 to 1945 Star to meet the time factor."

Canadians qualified for the original 1939-1945 Star and accordingly additional Canadians now will be able to get the decoration.

Hitherto recipients of the 1939-1945 Star could not also be awarded the Africa Star, but Mr. Churchill said the King now has approved the award of both to the same individual.

The King also has instituted a gilt rose emblem to be worn with the ribbon of the 1939-1945 Star for "Air crews of fighter aircraft engaged in the Battle of Britain to Oct. 31, 1940."

Many Canadians will thus be able to add either the 1939-1945 Star or the Africa Star to the ribbons they now wear and hundreds of Canadian airmen will put up the rose emblem.

### DESIGNED BY KING

The medals are the Atlantic Star, the Air Crew Europe Star, the Italy Star, the France and Germany Star, the Pacific Star, the Burma Star, and the Defence Medal. The ribbons for all these new awards, which were designed personally by the King, will be available at once. But the medals won't be struck immediately.

Canadian Military Headquarters said it was their understanding that all the new awards applied to the Dominions as well as British troops. Time as prisoner of war may be counted towards the qualifying period for the 1939-1945 Star but not towards the period of six months—or two months for aircrew—operational service which must be completed before the grant of one of the new stars may be authorized.

In the case of persons in operational service on V-E Day the Italy and France and Germany Stars will be granted without service requirements and there is a similar waiving of the time qualification in the Atlantic and Air Crew Europe Stars.

Mr. Churchill said the Defence Medal "is intended to recognize the service here of forces from the Dominions who stood by us in time of grievous need and will also be an award subject to a three-years' qualification to those citizens of this country who during the years of danger served here in the forces—the Home Guard, the National Fire Service, the police and civil defence."

"This medal touches about 7,

000,000 people and recognizes the struggle against the enemy's air and bomb attack."

### DOMINIONS CONSULTED

A white paper on the Campaign Stars said arrangements for the awards "have been generally agreed in discussion with the Dominion governments, though certain questions of detail remain to be settled."

The Defence Medal ribbon has green edges and a flame-colored centre, "symbols of enemy attacks on our green and pleasant land," with two black stripes representing the blackout, it was announced outside the House of Commons.

The Pacific Star—for operational service in the Pacific theatre from Dec. 8, 1941—is dark green with red edges, a central yellow stripe and two other narrow stripes, one dark blue and the other light blue. The green and yellow stand for forests and beaches, the red edges for armies, the dark blue for naval forces, and the light blue for air forces.

The Burma Star—for operational service during the Burma campaign—is a dark blue ribbon with a central red stripe and two orange stripes. The red stands for the Commonwealth forces, the orange for the sun.

Recipients will receive only one of these awards, but a clasp will be awarded showing the other qualifications.

### FOR ATLANTIC SERVICE

The Atlantic Star—primarily for men on convoys and their escorts and anti-submarine forces—is a blue, white and seagreen ribbon, shaded and watered. Aircrew will be eligible if engaged in operations against the enemy.

The Aircrew Europe Star—for operational flying from the United Kingdom over Europe up to June 5, 1944—is a light blue ribbon with black edges and a narrow yellow stripe at each side.

The Italy Star—for service in Sicily and Italy—is a ribbon in the Italian colors, green, white and red. There are five vertical stripes of equal width, in red at either edge, the one in the centre green, and the two intervening stripes in white.

The France and Germany Star—for operational service in France, Belgium, Holland and Germany between the invasion of Normandy and V-E Day—is a ribbon in the red, white and blue of the Union Jack, with five vertical stripes in equal width with blue at each end and red in the centre.

Mr. Churchill informed the House of Commons he expects there will be a "United Nations Medal" at the end of the war, but that the new Defence Medal will probably be the last decoration issued by Britain in this conflict.

## Lists Tourist Trade As Major Factor In Canada's Future

Potentialities for development of Canada lies with the travel industry more than with any other industry in this country, stated D. Leo Dolan, chief of the Canadian Travel Bureau, Ottawa, addressing the Rotary Club and members of the Chamber of Commerce and Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau Thursday.

"Here in this country," he said "is the greatest recreational area in the world, emphasizing the need for national and international development in the tourist trade, particularly with the U.S. "The travel industry stimulates the distribution of goods and service and by drawing influx of tourists, a country's standard of living improves."

Mr. Dolan foresees keen tourist competition from Mexico and Latin America. They have, he said, been building their tourist attractions and publicity while Canada has been engaged in war.

Though a common bond has always existed between the U.S. and Canada, he stressed the need for a stronger development of international relationship which greater tourist attractions in this country would do much to augment. This project will build citizenship on an international scale he went on, as well as contributing in a very real manner to Canadian unity and developing a "true spirit of Canadianism."

### JOINT BORDER TRAVEL

Plans are ready for expansion of the bureau for joint cross-border travel. This will be brought about in postwar years by tourist exhibits in large U.S. centres of population and by traveling film libraries in Canada plus extensive advertising. "We can all aid in this development," he stressed, "particularly on the West Coast."

With the travel-starved people of the U.S. wishing to see Canada, though accommodation is lacking here this year, he expects to see an influx of tourists in 1946.

"We need greater and improved physical assets," he said, "better hotels, highways and recreational centres as an attraction."

### TOURIST SURVEY

He complimented B.C.'s government on the survey made of tourist resources here, and stated that he had long urged that similar steps be taken in other provinces.

Through travel, which will bring about co-mingling of Canadians and Americans and aid in making Canadians ever more conscious of their country, a national edifice can be built which will be a credit to all," said the speaker.

"Having written the name of Canada in large letters on the textbook of war, we must and should join together as a more unified country—and we will be the envy of the rest of the world," he said in conclusion. Introduced by William J.

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Clarke, president, Island and Victoria Publicity Bureau, Mr. Dolan was thanked for his address by George I. Warren, publicity commissioner.

Guests at the head table were E. G. Rowbottom, minister of trade and industries, and Maj. H. Cuthbert Holmes, chamber president.

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## Cruiser Rammed By Queen Mary With Loss of 338 Men

LONDON (Reuter) — One of the worst naval disasters of the war was revealed today — the sinking of the British cruiser Curacao by the liner Queen Mary Oct. 2, 1942, when she was carrying United States troops to Britain.

In thick fog the Queen Mary collided at right angles with the cruiser, which was acting as escort. The cruiser was cut through, being carried a considerable distance with one-half on each side of the giant liner.

In five minutes the Curacao had sunk. Rescue measures were swift, but there were 338 casualties, of whom 25 were officers.

The disaster took place in the afternoon nearly 20 miles north-west of the bloody Foreland off the coast of Donegal in Eire.

According to the Daily Express today, dependents of the men who lost their lives have made claims against the Cunard Company, owners of the Queen Mary, for £750,000 (about \$3,375,000). The case will come up in High Court June 12. It will, the paper said, be an outstanding case in maritime history and may last several months as witnesses will have to come from all over the world.

The newspaper added that the Queen Mary suffered only slight damage and had no casualties.

The Curacao was a cruiser of 4,290 tons.

## LOSSES ANNOUNCED

She was included in a long list of British naval vessels lost during the war up to May 8 issued by the Admiralty. These losses are in addition to others announced from time to time during the war but they were not disclosed at the time as it was believed the enemy were unaware of the facts.

The Curacao had a complement of about 400 officers and men.

Destroyers lost were the Khartoum, Codrington, Cameron, Gallant, Amori, Legion, Kingston, Punjabi, Lance and Quail.

Submarine casualties were the Unity, Umpire, P39, P36, Pandora, P551, P514 and the Vandal.

Also lost were the escort carrier Dasher, the armed merchant cruiser Comorin and Hector, the sloop Godette, the frigate Goodall, the auxiliary boarding vessels Chalka, Chantala and Karanja, the minesweepers Port Napier and Corncake, the minesweepers Corburn, Devonir, Hopper, Alberic, Fernou, Tranquill, Beech, Gossamer, Force, Niger, Alder, Honglian and Firmament.

In addition to the Curacao, the list includes 10 destroyers, eight submarines, one escort carrier, two armed merchant cruisers, one sloop, one frigate, three auxiliary boarding vessels, two minesweepers, 31 trawlers, 31 drifters and 29 miscellaneous craft.

## CARRIED 15,000

At the time the Curacao was rammed, more than 15,000 U.S. troops were on board the Queen Mary, which was traveling all-out for the Clyde with an escort of two cruisers. The lookout man raised the alarm that a suspected U-boat had been sighted on the port bow ahead. Immediately the great liner wheeled to starboard to take avoiding action and at the same moment the Curacao was racing toward the submarine. Traveling at nearly 30 knots, the liner crashed full tilt into the cruiser. Nothing could have withstood such a shock.

The Queen Mary could not stop to pick up survivors and tore on at top speed. The accident did not interrupt the Queen Mary's regular sailings. Temporary repairs were carried out at Greenock and a new bow was fitted on the liner when she went back to New York.

## Good News for Animals

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#### NONE ARE FINER

LITTLE AS IT MAY CONFORM TO THE  
purpose of those who seek to smear  
various departments and leaders in Canada's  
war effort, the tribute of Field Marshal  
Montgomery to the Dominion's troops and  
Gen. McNaughton will be received with gratifica-  
tion by the majority of Canadians.

This country has always enjoyed a whole-  
some regard for the men who have borne  
arms in its cause, but it is encouraging to  
hear a man of "Monty's" repute support  
that native pride with the statement that  
"none are finer than the fighting men from  
Canada."

And those who have exceeded the bounds  
of reasonable criticism in their attacks on  
the present Minister of Defence may find  
some check for their irresponsible state-  
ments in the Field Marshal's specific praise  
of Gen. McNaughton who was forging the  
weapons in 1941—"and right well he did his  
job."

There is direct support for Prime Min-  
ister King's invitation to the electors to sur-  
vey the government's record in Montgom-  
ery's final words:

"Canada has not sent us only her soldiers, but  
sailors, airmen, nursing sisters and women in the  
branches. All have come to lend a hand."

"You turned your country into a great arsenal  
of workshops and provided the sinews of war to  
the utmost of your capacity."

"We are now facing harder and more difficult  
tasks than we had to face in war. Given adequate  
resources, fighting the Germans was easy com-  
pared with the difficulties of organizing the world  
so that all men shall have peace and prosperity."

Those are statements and views which  
even the less scrupulous politicians will  
have difficulty in twisting to suit the pur-  
pose of directing votes against the admin-  
istration which gave the country's war ef-  
forts their direction. And the difficulties  
Field Marshal Montgomery sees in the post-  
war era unquestionably call for an admin-  
istration by men of experience both in na-  
tional and international fields.

#### NOOSES, NOT LOOPHOLES

UNDER DIFFERENT CIRCUMSTANCES,  
reported Japanese peace feelers might  
claim greater importance than they are now  
receiving. Where the sons of the son of  
heaven look for loopholes in the formula of  
unconditional surrender, they will find only  
the loop, and that a noose to draw tight  
around the perpetrators of the sneak attack  
on Pearl Harbor. Inquiries, through neutral  
channels regarding the possibility of escap-  
ing the ultimate consequences of their ag-  
gression serve only to emphasize the con-  
viction which is growing not only among their  
leaders, but among their people that those  
consequences are rapidly overtaking them.

Fanatical defence in many of their more  
"impregnable" fortresses has proved unavailing  
against the determination of Allied  
forces to master those territories. The crip-  
pling blows United States air fleets are deal-  
ing their homeland industries are destroy-  
ing their powers to resist. The manner in  
which planes leave Iwo Jima to smash at the  
main island vitals should provide adequate  
proof to the land of the rising sun that their  
sun is beginning to set. Their only alterna-  
tives appear to lie in submission to terms of  
unconditional surrender or to continue fight-  
ing until they are finally destroyed.

The authenticated stories of Japanese  
atrocities have steeled the world against any  
sympathy towards the foe which now faces  
defeat. The lesson of that treachery by  
which Japan's envoys diverted attention in  
Washington while the Japanese fleet was  
moving out to the Hawaiian Islands has been  
too well learned by the United States to pro-  
vide much opportunity for negotiation with  
the Japanese.

Faced with inevitable defeat, they have  
only two choices. They may fight on in the  
hope of saving face. Or they may submit  
soon to unconditional surrender and save  
some necks. Either way, their future capac-  
ities to make war will be destroyed. And  
while the latter course may prove less costly  
in lives to the United Nations forces, against  
that consideration, great as it is, will be  
weighed the advice of such men as Admiral  
Halsey, who have underscored the necessity  
of sacrifice now to avoid a much greater  
sacrifice in a future war against Japan.

#### WHO WAS RESPONSIBLE?

"AN EYE FOR AN EYE AND A TOOTH  
for a tooth" is Biblical but it is not  
juridical. The trials of war criminals by  
popular clamor are not judicial but are  
prejudicial to the paramount power of the  
people to whom "the law is above king,  
parliament or people." No man must be  
condemned without a fair trial, which  
means that we are willing to see him freed  
if he is not proven guilty by legal proceed-  
ings.

All of what are known as the post-flight  
Nazis are guilty of the most heinous crimes  
against humanity. It could not be otherwise  
because they instigated and profited by a  
policy designed to exterminate their enemies  
or enchain them in a paralysis of fear. They

were guilty before the war, because they  
denied justice to anyone who opposed their  
political power. They were guilty when they  
persecuted the Jews and when they  
educated the Hitler Youth to become pro-  
fessional hoodlums. Their concentration  
camps and their crematoriums, the twisted  
bodies and tortured minds of their victims  
bear witness to their guilt in the lowest  
depths of the hell they have created. We  
stand horrified by their degeneration and  
our horror confuses the fact that our con-  
demnation is political not judicial.

There is to be an international conference  
on German war crimes in London beginning  
on May 31. Masses of evidence have already  
been sifted by the United Nations War  
Crimes Commission. This commission will  
doubtless establish proper courts to try  
those whom it lists as criminals. But is the  
commission to distinguish between the  
crimes committed by the German armies in  
the field or by the German political admin-  
istrators in the conquered countries? Would  
not military tribunals have to be established  
for the first and political tribunals for the  
second? Who, from the highest field marshal  
to the lowest corporal, gave the orders and  
who carried them out?

Frightfulness in war is a basic strategy  
of Prussian militarism. Thus the entire  
general staff of the Wehrmacht should be  
executed as a lesson to others not to adopt  
frightfulness as a means to an end. But  
Himmler infiltrated his Gestapo into every  
nook and corner of the German military  
machine to make sure that the political ends  
of his party were fulfilled. Ribbentrop's  
conduct of the Nazi foreign policy was based  
on treachery, which is also a precept of the  
Nazi political philosophy. Is Ribbentrop not  
guilty, and von Rundstedt guilty in the eyes  
of the law? Is the law to be the German  
law of People's Courts installed by a political  
party, or is it to be the German law estab-  
lished by the Weimar Republic? Or is to be  
a special law established for a special  
purpose?

The fact is that we can hang a certain  
number of the most notorious Nazi leaders  
and their hangers-on, but we cannot lend  
ourselves to executing all those who adopted  
the Nazi doctrines. The two youthful offi-  
cers of the German submarine escorted into  
Newfoundland are an admirable example of  
the German war criminal. "I have faith in  
the Nazi system and I think that whatever  
was done was right," said one. "Hitler never  
made any mistakes," said the other, and both  
claimed they had never heard of atrocities  
nor of persecution of the Jews.

There we have it in all its nakedness.  
"Hitler was right. The Nazi system is right  
and can do no wrong," and they might have  
added, "It is not for me to think. I have no  
responsibility. I have merely to obey."

#### FOR REFRESHMENT

QUITE APART FROM THE PRECISE  
movements of the flotillas of fluffy  
ducklings, which make a visit to Beacon Hill  
Park an occasion of absorbing interest these  
days, the horticultural developments which  
early summer brings to that recreation spot  
make it an ideal place for an afternoon's  
outing at this season.

Victorians who are tired of their back-  
breaking toil over victory gardens may  
profit materially from an hour or two spent  
in the region. The many shades of green-  
ery will bring them delight and refreshment,  
and the azaleas and flowering cherries may  
inspire them to something more decorative  
than the potatoes in which they are now,  
no doubt, taking an absorbing interest at  
home.

More and more, citizens and visitors are  
drawing enjoyment from the varied interests  
of the park. And the present is an excellent  
time to view many of its floral wonders.

#### 'NEUTRALITY'S DILEMMA'

PREMIER EAMON DE VALERA OF  
Ireland considers that Mr. Churchill "ad-  
vanced the cause of international morality  
by resisting a temptation to break Southern  
Ireland's neutrality." He would argue that  
as he regards the Irish language and the  
Irish people as a separate entity, enclosed  
by self-sufficiency and self-determination  
within three-quarters of an island totally  
dependent for its economy and defence on  
Britain, a continuing enmity fertilized by  
the past can guarantee complete indepen-  
dence in the future, despite the ordinary  
pressures exercised by common interests  
and common sense.

That his neutrality was proof of a mis-  
placed faith in his moral integrity does not  
concern him. That it also pandered to per-  
secution and murder by the Nazis, the most  
brutal and immoral regime in all history  
and, if that regime had been successful,  
would have torn every shred of independence  
from Ireland, is merely a paradox provided by  
his perversity and vanity. His attitude and  
his arguments could well provide George  
Bernard Shaw with a new play. It might  
be entitled "Neutrality's Dilemma."

#### TASTY FORECAST

THE OFFICE OF DISTRICT HORTICUL-  
tural, Provincial Department of Agri-  
culture, brings cheering news in its report  
on the bloom of strawberry patches which,  
given fair weather, should yield a very good  
crop.

Indications are the yield will be late  
this year. But that should be of some assis-  
tance to the farmers who may look for a  
larger volume of pickers among students  
being released from school. Not only the  
growers will be interested in favorable  
weather during the next few weeks. Citiz-  
ens of Victoria who have always had a  
palate particularly sensitive to the wonder-  
fully flavored local product, will hope the  
fruit arrives in such volume that it can be  
sold at moderate prices for table use and for  
preserving to the full extent of available  
sugar.

#### Bruce Hutchison

THE CASE OF MR. HERRIDGE  
HERBERT HERRIDGE IS THE C.C.F. mem-  
ber of the British Columbia Legislature  
for Rossland-Trail. He was elected in the  
provincial election of 1941.

Last autumn the C.C.F. people of the fed-  
eral riding of West Kootenay decided to  
nominate him for the House of Commons.  
Mr. Herridge, believing that he could do  
more at Ottawa than at Victoria, decided to  
accept the nomination. This did not suit  
the C.C.F. machine at Vancouver.

Mr. Herridge, the machine said, belonged  
in the Legislature and must stay there. So  
Mr. Herridge was told to withdraw from fed-  
eral politics.

The machine had bumped into something  
more formidable than it had expected. Mr.  
Herridge, for all his mild manners, would  
not be pushed around. He said he would  
run for Parliament if his people nominated  
him, and all the pressure of the machine  
would not dissuade him.

NOT LONG AGO the C.C.F. people of West  
Kootenay met in convention to choose  
their candidate. The C.C.F. machine in Van-  
couver sent up some of its strongest figures  
to tell the West Kootenay people where they  
got off at. They explained to the nominat-  
ing convention that all C.C.F. candidates  
must be approved by the C.C.F. executive.  
The people had no right to choose their own  
representative in Parliament unless it suited  
the executive, a small body of men who are  
not elected by the people. It would be  
illegal, under the iron rules of the C.C.F.,  
to nominate Mr. Herridge.

The Vancouver junta warned the nomi-  
nating convention that Mr. Herridge could not  
go to Ottawa because the junta would not  
accept him. When the junta finally declared  
the convention illegal, the delegates simply  
went ahead and nominated Mr. Herridge  
anyway.

Mr. Herridge thus became an illegal can-  
didate, according to the laws of the C.C.F.,  
but a perfectly legal candidate according to  
the laws of Canada and according to the  
ancient principles of Parliament, established  
centuries ago.

THE C.C.F. machine could not tolerate such  
a revolution. It had to make good its de-  
cision and assert its power over the local  
electorate. Accordingly, it nominated its own  
official candidate, who admittedly had no  
chance of election but who could demon-  
strate that rule by the non-elected party  
bosses must prevail over the wishes of the  
voters.

Mr. Herridge is a candidate for Parlia-  
ment, backed by most of the C.C.F. people  
of West Kootenay. But in a short time he  
will not be a member of the C.C.F. The  
Vancouver machine decided to purge him as  
a wholesome lesson to all others who  
imagine that democracy is stronger than the  
C.C.F. He was read out of the party just  
as Dr. Johnson and Mr. Richards were read  
out of the C.C.F. in Manitoba.

This extraordinary business sits ill on the  
stomach of British Columbia. It has not  
only ruined the C.C.F.'s chance to win West  
Kootenay but it has damaged the party  
throughout the province and was a contrib-  
uting cause in the overwhelming defeat of  
the C.C.F. candidate in the recent provincial  
by-election of New Westminster. British  
Columbians do not like to be told by a few  
irresponsible men in Vancouver whom they  
shall send to Parliament. They cling to the  
theory that Parliament shall be composed of  
men chosen by their constituencies, and not  
of men chosen by a few bosses.

#### RIGHT OF APPEAL

FROM Maclean's Magazine  
In the matter of income tax assessments,  
in Britain and the United States there are  
appeal tribunals easily accessible to the tax-  
payer. In Canada, what the tax department  
says goes unless a citizen wants to bear the  
cost of an expensive appeal to Exchequer  
Court.

The Canadian cannot make a claim  
against the government for overpayment of  
tax. The government can reopen any claim  
against the taxpayer. At any time it can say  
a mistake was made even 25 years ago; com-  
pel the citizen to pay the difference, plus  
interest. That can't happen either in Britain  
or the U.S.

In Britain and the U.S. the citizen has  
rights that are carefully safeguarded. In  
Canada it would appear that departmental  
officials assume rights not bestowed by Par-  
liament.

War necessities have diverted the atten-  
tion of the people's elected representatives  
from many such matters. The time is com-  
ing when Parliament will have to reassert  
itself.

#### DEFINING THE HOME GUARD

This story was going the rounds in the  
dark days in England when things were  
looking anything but bright. In a London  
pub a veteran of the last war was enjoying  
a quiet pint. He was wearing a Home Guard  
uniform one or two sizes too big for him,  
and altogether looked a not very military  
figure. After a while a young and very  
smart Guardsman came in, ordered a pint  
and stood beside him. He stared for several  
minutes at the veteran's Home Guard shoul-  
der flash—stared offensively. Finally he  
leaned across and said: "Ome Guard? Wot  
the 'ell does that mean?" The Home Guard  
turned round, looked the smart young  
Guardsman up and down carefully, took a  
deep pull at his beer and then said with  
magnificent scorn: "What does the Home  
Guard mean? I'll tell you, soldier. You  
blokes was picked off the beach at Dunkirk,  
you was picked off the beach at Greece,  
you was picked off the beach at Crete. The  
Home Guard's here to see you don't get  
picked off the beach in this country."

No prejudiced man believes in free  
speech. Give him power and he will try to  
gag those who don't agree with him.

#### The War Today

By DEWITT MACKENZIE  
Associated Press News Analyst  
It isn't at all surprising to  
learn that Japanese diplomats  
and business men in neutral coun-  
tries are busy unofficially seeking  
some loophole for peace short of  
the unconditional surrender de-  
manded by the Allies.

There's no secret about the fact  
that Japan is following Ger-  
many's trail of disaster. We  
know that it's only a question of  
how long it will take the Allies  
to deliver the coup de grace, for  
Japan already is beaten. Even  
the Mikado's ministers of state  
admit the gravity of her position.

However, this peace develop-  
ment is a circumstance which we  
should regard with great caution.  
While the Japs probably would  
be glad to secure a peace that  
would save them from complete  
knockout and allow them to hang  
onto some of their plunder, yet  
they have no present intention of  
unconditional surrender, and are  
capable of making a long and  
fierce resistance.

Evidence of the grim determi-  
nation of the Japanese to hang on  
is seen in the battle of Okinawa,  
which is one of the bloodiest of  
the Pacific war. There's no evi-  
dence of a Jap collapse, though  
the enemy is fighting with an es-  
timated 34,000 men, all of those  
who are left from some 80,000  
when the invasion started.

Loss of that strategic island,  
which lies close to the Japanese  
mainland, will be a catastrophe  
for the enemy, because it will  
greatly increase Allied facilities  
for bombing Tokyo and other  
great Japanese cities.

Japan's greatest immediate  
worry undoubtedly is whether  
Russia is going to enter the war  
alongside her European-war Al-  
lies.

The Japs can have the doubtful  
satisfaction of knowing they have  
just as much information about  
Moscow's intentions as does any  
other outside country—which  
seems to be precisely nothing.

#### Letters To The Editor

MR. MCCONNAN  
CHALLENGED  
The remarks of Mr. McConnan  
at a meeting of the Victoria  
Chamber of Commerce in Spencer's  
dining-room printed in your  
paper have been more than ex-  
aggerated.

I know for a fact that many of  
us discharged not only with only a  
few months service but over  
many years have been treated  
with courtesy and every mark of  
respect and are at present work-  
ing at positions suiting us.

After World War I I was work-  
ing at headquarters at Ottawa  
from 1918 to 1922, and I am in a  
position to say that we have a  
very fine organization here. The  
remarks printed are certainly not  
called for or, with all due respect  
to Mr. McConnan, maybe there  
is no opening in Victoria in the  
special line of work this gentle-  
man would like to do.

So I say again the Veterans'  
Rehabilitation now in force in  
Victoria is one of the best and  
let's give them fair play. They  
have a very big job ahead of  
them. I do hope they carry on  
treating the boys similarly to  
what they have done in the past.  
I am one of them.

J. COURVILLE (ex R.C.N.)  
82 San Jose Avenue.

THAT BRYDON ESTATE  
As money seems so easy to get  
from the taxpayers these days,

Tickets for the 43rd anniv-  
ersary Electrical Workers' banquet,  
Friday, May 18, are almost sold  
out. Members desiring tickets  
should notify the union office im-  
mediately.

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not only governments but munic-  
ipal councils have gone on a spend-  
ing spree. The latest is the  
Esquimalt council talking of  
spending \$8,000 to buy the Bry-  
don estate. Esquimalt, which is  
already overburdened with non-  
taxable land, wants to buy more,  
and land that could be revenue  
producing. We already have Bul-  
len Park, Memorial Park, Saxe  
Point, playing fields on Ellery  
Street and a playground on Col-  
ville. All of which, if Esquimalt  
is pining to spend money, could  
be improved.

Esquimalt needs cleaning up  
in the village to make it more  
attractive to prospective resi-  
dents. We only have to go to  
Oak Bay to see how attractive a  
village can be made, and we who  
are residents of Esquimalt come  
back and hide our heads in shame  
at the condition of our own vil-  
lage. There are a dozen improve-  
ments to be made if the council  
feels it must spend money.

Let's try and face the future  
with a little sanity and economy  
so that when times do get hard,  
there will be a little surplus to  
fall back on. The Esquimalt coun-  
cil would be wise to stop and  
think before burdening the people  
with any more non-taxable prop-  
erty. (Mrs.) D. SWAYNE.  
993 Admirals Road.

## NOTICE! POWER OFF!

Residents of the Elk Lake district, the  
Cordova Bay area north of Haliburton  
Road and all that portion of the Pen-  
insula north of Elk Lake are notified  
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**FRIDAY, MAY 18**

**From 6.30 to 7.30 P.M.**

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themselves . . . to create a dynamic enterprise wherein, through their collective  
bargaining agencies, Labour may receive fair wages and an improved standard  
of living . . . Profits can be taxed, but a monopoly of power in the hands of  
a political group is impossible to control . . . Any government of which I am  
leader will see to it that Labour becomes a partner in enterprise and enjoys its  
rights . . ."

*John Bracken*

John Bracken believes that the rights  
of Labour can best be secured under a  
system of private competitive enter-  
prise. He accepts and endorses the  
opinion expressed on this point by  
William Green, President of the A.F.  
of L., and Phillip Murray, President of  
the C.I.O., who stated on March 28th,  
1945:

"The rights of private property and  
free choice of action, under a system of  
private competitive capitalism, must  
continue to be the function of our  
nation's peaceful and prosperous ex-  
panding economy. Free competition  
and free men are the strength of our  
free society."

To make these rights real and effec-  
tive the Progressive Conservative Party  
will establish a National Development  
Board to include labour, agriculture,  
business and government.

The Board will have the responsibility  
of working out terms for full produc-  
tion and employment as well as the  
preservation of our natural resources  
and the construction of projects in the  
public interest.

The National Development Board will  
have power to encourage the establish-  
ment for each industry of an Industry  
Council, composed of representatives of  
labour, management and agriculture, as  
the case requires, to assist in the for-  
mulation and application of plans for full  
production and full employment in such  
industry.

John Bracken will establish a Federal  
Labour Code setting national standards  
and covering particularly—

- ✓Genuine compulsory collective barg-  
aining legislation.
- ✓Effective machinery for certification  
of collective bargaining agent.
- ✓Penalties against discrimination and  
unfair Labour practices.

- ✓Outlawing of unions financed or  
dominated by employers.
- ✓Minimum Wages.
- ✓Maximum Hours of Work.

- ✓Equal pay for equal work and equality  
of opportunity and treatment in  
other respects for men and women  
workers.

- ✓Minimum age of employment.
- ✓Holidays with pay.
- ✓Extension of Labour-Management  
Committees.

We shall provide a uniform and com-  
prehensive security plan for all Can-  
adians including—

- ✓Extended unemployment insurance  
coverage.

- ✓Accident and sickness benefits.
- ✓Children's allowances.

- ✓Maternity benefits.

- ✓Widows' benefits.

- ✓Retirement pensions.

- ✓Increased old age pensions at age 65.

Where social services are adminis-  
tered provincially, we shall provide grants  
large enough to ensure adequate stand-  
ards of social security to all Canadians.

We shall ensure representation for  
Labour on Government Boards and  
Commissions. Important wartime wage  
orders and Labour relations codes shall  
be enacted by Parliament, not by Order-  
in-Council.

By these and many other progressive  
measures, the Progressive Conservative  
Party will ensure to Labour, as a part-  
ner in progressive enterprise, its full  
rights and responsibilities in achieving  
prosperity for all Canadians.



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Crois Rib Roasts, per lb.	22c	Hamburger, fresh, lb.	16c	Pork Chops, per lb.	35c

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	Inside, per lb.	42c

Commercial Sausage, L.C., lb.	15c	Chuck and Blade Steaks, lb.	22c	Legs Pork, per lb.	28c
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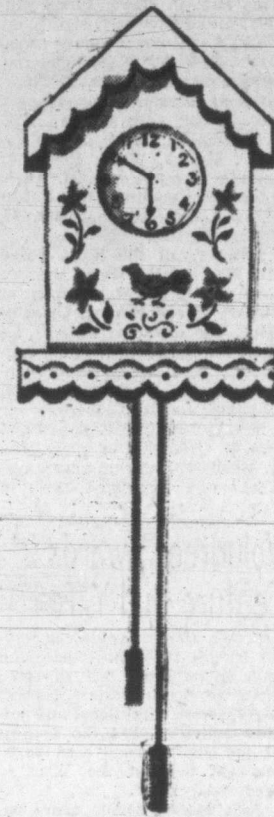
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### Engagements

Announcements to appear under this heading will be accepted at the Times Advertising Department. Minimum charge \$1.50 for 10 lines, and 15c for each additional line.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hurst, 1018 Bay Street, announce the marriage of their second daughter, Mrs. Margaret Corrine Craig-Myle, to Corporal Magnus Lehmann, Perth Regiment, third son of Mr. and Mrs. Armund Lehmann, Tolga, Norway, which will take place Saturday, May 19, in St. John's Church at 8:45 p.m.

Major J. M. Cockburn and Mrs. Cockburn, 2365 West 6th Avenue, Vancouver, B.C., announce the engagement of their second daughter, Isobel, to Lieut. George Wilkinson, second son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Wilkinson, Esquimalt, B.C. The wedding will take place Saturday, May 26, in Crosby United Church, with Rev. R. Hardy officiating.

### Mrs. McLaurin Heads University Women

At the annual meeting of the University Women's Club held Thursday at Victoria College, Mrs. D. L. McLaurin was elected president by acclamation. Other officers elected were: First vice-president, Mrs. J. W. Price; second vice-president, Mrs. H. R. Turner; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Margaret Strachan; recording secretary, Mrs. Claire White; and treasurer, Mrs. R. D. Matthews.

**Summer Dance**—Miss Madeline Ciceri will convene the summer dance which will be held by the K. of C. Auxiliary in the Crystal Garden, June 7. A floor show by members will be one of the features of the entertainment.

Miss N. O'Connell reported for membership which now numbers 100. May 22 a formal dance will be held in the hut. Miss Eleanor Watson will take over the convenership of the desk from Miss Neida Hittich. The next meeting will be June 11.

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### Mrs. M. Paterson Grand Mistress Of L.O.B.A.

Mrs. M. Paterson of Victoria was elected grand mistress of the Ladies Orange Benevolent Association at the closing session of a two-day conference at the Crystal Garden.

Other officers elected were: Grand deputy mistress, Mrs. H. Martin, Kamloops; junior deputy mistress, Miss M. Johnson, Vancouver; grand chaplain, Mrs. M. Thomas, Princeton; grand secretary, Mrs. P. Howe, Prince Rupert; grand treasurer, Mrs. E. A. Wells, Vancouver; deputy secretary, Mrs. F. Noel, Victoria; deputy treasurer, Mrs. E. Clark, Mission; director of ceremonies, Mrs. E. Gill, Gully; lecturer, Mrs. E. Henderson, Trill; deputy lecturer, Mrs. J. Wood, Rossland; juvenile director, Mrs. H. Allen, Vancouver; auditors, Mrs. S. McMath, Abbotsford, and Mrs. M. Young, Duncan.

Members of the home board are Miss F. Williams, Mrs. A. Lees and Mrs. M. Rawson of Vancouver and Mrs. A. Glass of Hope. The installing officers, all right worshipful past grand mistresses, were Mesdames A. Beckett, F. Finlay, M. Fowler, I. Burt, E. Nixon and W. Gibbard.

Mrs. O. McKay was pianist and Mrs. B. Osborne was page. Mrs. A. Middleton, retiring grand mistress, was presented with a jewel.

### Volunteer Awards Feature Bud-Y Tea

Presentation of volunteer service badges to 42 hostesses who have given from one to three years' service in hostess, concert party, social, educational and outdoor activities was the feature of the Bud-Y group card party and tea held at the Y.M.C.A. Wednesday night.

Jock Morse, senior army supervisor in the Victoria area in the absence of Alan Hurst, area secretary, Vancouver, presented the awards to Mrs. E. R. Harwood, past director of the So-Ed concert party; Miss Hazel Parfitt, chief hostess; Miss Kay Drom, Jean Holland, Dorothy Craig, Miss Elaine Province, senior hostesses, and Misses Myrtle Broughton, Cora Manton, Laura Manton, Betty Matthews, Norma Simons, Violet Ball, Betty Cox, Frances McCorquodale, Noreen Moore, Irene Gittle, Helen Mitchell, Ella Mitchell, Isla Mitchell, Marjorie Bullock, Alma Malcolm, Dulcie Malcolm, Helen Parfitt, Phyllis Ockwell, Jean Harwood, Betty Garner, Anne Nielsen, Florence Smith, Catherine Craig, Doreen Southin, Ruth Morgan, Evelyn Fisher, Dorothy Parfitt, Maud Almond, Ruth Gustafson, Mary Hamilton, Muriel Prendergast, Rita Perry, Kay Ward, Helen Ward, Carla Ellis and Phyllis Biles.

Misses Edith Cameron, Helen Parfitt, Jean Holland, Jean Harwood and Dulcie Malcolm were the conveners. More than 100 guests were received by Miss Myrtle Broughton, president.

Miss Alma Malcolm made a presentation on behalf of the young people of the Y.M.C.A. to Mrs. Helen Simpson, co-educational secretary, who is leaving Victoria Y after two years on the staff.

Solos by Miss Thelma Gaetz and Miss Florence Smith, accompanied by Miss Betty Garner followed.

### Tag Day Nets \$112

A tag day held recently by the Mary Croft Esquimalt Chapter, I.O.D.E., netted the sum of \$112, it was announced at a meeting Monday. Proceeds were to go towards the H.M.C.S. Esquimalt, which has since been lost. Instead this money will go into a fund which will be used in future to assist children of servicemen in need of help.

This chapter will convene the market stall at the I.O.D.S. garden party to be held at Government House in August. Mrs. Bryant is the convener.

Five thousand magazines, 350 books, 35 puzzles and games, 10 cribbage boards, 100 packs of playing cards and 150 phonograph records were collected during the past month for distribution to ships.

Members were asked to attend the intercession service at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, May 27, at morning service. War Savings Certificates to the value of \$20 were purchased by the chapter last month.

The committee in charge of the dance revue which is to be given at Royal Victoria Theatre May 23, urged members give wholehearted support. Tickets for the revue can be exchanged at Reimer's Beauty Salon, 614 View Street, May 17 to 22 inclusive, and at the theatre on the day of the revue.

Cpl. and Mrs. H. E. Spohn are visiting at the Empress Hotel from Tacoma, Wash.

"Freedom and the C.C.F." Hear P.O. Murray Bryce, C.J.V.I., tomorrow, 9:15 p.m.

### Invasion Veteran On Leave



Lt. Cmdr. R. A. Webber, D.S.C., R.C.N., who returned home recently after two and a half years at sea, is shown visiting with his wife and baby son at the home of Mrs. Webber's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Mills, 701 Clavelly Sea Terrace. Lt. Cmdr. Webber served on H.M.C.S. Prince Henry and participated in three invasions.

### Personal Notes

Miss Dorothy Hutton of Seattle is visiting at the Empress Hotel.

Mrs. Frank Scott of Ganges has come to Victoria and is visiting Mrs. Curtis W. Sampson at her home, "Molten Coombe," for several days.

Miss Jean Macdonald, recently of Prince Rupert, is spending holidays with her parents, Maj. and Mrs. A. D. Macdonald, "Duntlum," Sidney.

Mrs. Edna Langford, Dale Langford, Roy Hearn of Vancouver, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Murray of Bloedel, Vancouver Island, will be weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Pattinson, 1853 Crescent Road.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Reid of New Westminster are guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Mayhew, 3125 Beach Drive. Mr. Reid has represented New Westminster for many years in the House of Commons.

Among those who attended the Rotary luncheon at the Empress Thursday were: H. A. Roberts, London, Eng.; F. Stricker, Vancouver; Clarence Tait, Calgary; Bert Morris, Seattle; Bill Horsley, Seattle; Clyde Compton, Vancouver; Alex McFarlane, Vancouver; and Tom P. Allen, London, Ont.

Miss Lorraine Glass, a May bride-elect, was guest of honor at a miscellaneous shower given by Misses Freda and Laura Webb and Mrs. J. Burdny, at the home of the latter, Cedar Hill Road. The guests were: Mesdames A. Cownden, W. Cownden, J. Glass, W. Wilson, J. Burdny, Misses Lorraine Glass, Gloria Tessoro, Lorraine Tessoro, Verna Lawless, Lucille Webb, Rose Webb, Laura Webb and Freda Webb.

Mrs. P. E. Corby entertained at tea at her home on Vimy Avenue, Friday, honoring Mrs. J. L. Gates, provincial Echoes secretary, I.O.D.E., who is leaving during the week-end to attend the annual meeting of National Chapter, I.O.D.E., being held at Regina, Sask., next week. Those invited to attend included the Echoes secretaries of Municipal Chapter and each of the 12 Victoria primary chapters of the order.

### Freed From Japanese



Miss Mary Collis Hallows, released by U.S. forces after three and a half years internment in the Philippines, who reached the city this week via Los Angeles. Miss Hallows is staying with her mother, Mrs. Frances Hallows, at The Priory, Pemberton Road.

### Red Cross Parcels Still Go to Germany

Red Cross food parcels are still being shipped into Germany and are available for released prisoners who are in camps awaiting repatriation, states Lt. Col. C. A. Scott, B.C. Red Cross commissioner who has just returned from a conference in the east where these matters were discussed.

"Prisoners are being repatriated to England as quickly as possible," states Col. Scott, "but in the meantime, those who have to wait priority are being looked after well and fed with assistance of the Red Cross."

"Next-of-kin, who have relatives in camps, are asked to be patient as word is coming through daily from men who have reached the United Kingdom and are in a position to communicate with their families," he stated.

As soon as a released prisoner of war is safe in the United Kingdom, defence headquarters advises the next-of-kin, Ottawa reports.

### Weddings

#### LOWE—GRAVES

Rev. J. M. McLean officiated at a quiet wedding Wednesday at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, when Edith Graves, daughter of Mr. F. Woodward, Winnipeg, became the bride of John Charles Lowe. The bride wore a valian blue suit with matching hat and fox trim, and black accessories. Her corsage bouquet was of pink roses and lily of the valley. Mrs. J. H. Godfrey was matron of honor and wore a two-piece black suit with red trim and a small black hat. Her corsage bouquet was of tea roses.

Mrs. J. H. Godfrey was the best man.

A small reception was held at 3720 Carey Road, following which Mr. and Mrs. Lowe left for Kelso Bay on their honeymoon. For traveling, the bride wore a squirrel coat over her wedding suit. The coat was a gift of the groom. On their return they will reside at 3720 Carey Road.

#### MUNRO—NAYLOR

Belmont United Church was the scene of an evening wedding May 12, when Violet Settle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Naylor, 2963 Scott Street, became the bride of L.A.C. William Donald Munro, son of Mr. and Mrs. Munro, Red Deer, Alta. Rev. T. E. Holling officiated.

Given in marriage by her father the bride wore a street-length dress of white brocade organza with matching floral hat and shoulder-length veil. She carried a bouquet of pink carnations and sweet peas.

Mrs. Mary Fullerton, sister of the bride, was matron of honor, and wore a blue sheer dress with matching floral head-dress with veil. The bridesmaids were Miss Gladys Morris of Barrhead, Alta., and Miss Ellen Naylor, also sister of the bride. They wore pink sheer dresses with floral head-dresses, and all the attendants carried colonial bouquets. L.A.C. Lloyd Miller, R.C.A.F., of Toronto. A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, L.A.C. and Mrs. Munro left for a honeymoon to the mainland. For traveling, the bride wore a green coat over a navy blue suit, and her corsage bouquet of gardenias. They will reside in Victoria on their return.

**Pas-a-Pas**—Need for continuance of conservation in order to prevent inflation, was stressed by Mrs. Hugh A. McLeod, in an address to the Pas-a-Pas Club, recently at her home at 1802 Belmont Avenue. Plans for a treat for the Primary Department in June, were made. A shower of articles to be sent to England was held. Dr. Henrietta Anderson will be speaker at the next meeting to be held in June at the home of Mrs. R. W. Mayhew, 3125 Beach Drive.

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### Dental W.A. Tea

Proceeds of the springtime tea being arranged by the women's auxiliary to the Canadian Dental Corps will go to buy comforts for Dental Corps men overseas. The affair will be at the home of Dr. and Mrs. T. H. Johns, 2753 Somass Drive, May 30.

Mrs. A. P. Salter will convene the apron and needlework stall. Wynne Shaw School of Dancing pupils will entertain. Mrs. E. H. Griffith will be in charge of the "lucky dip" and door prize.

Mrs. J. Dimery Johnson, general convenor, announced that final plans for the tea will be made at the Monday meeting of the auxiliary. Mrs. H. R. Turner is in charge of tea arrangements.

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## Club Calendar

Victoria Women's Institute, Friday, 2.15, 635 Fort Street.

First United Church W.M.S. Auxiliary, Monday, at 2, in church hall. St. John's afternoon branch, W.A., Tuesday at 2.30, schoolroom.

Ladies of the Open Door Spiritualist Church. Silver tea at 714 Cormorant Street, Saturday, 2.30 till 5. Miss Ina Hamilton is the reader.

Pro Patria W.A., Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., card social, Monday at 8, Hard-of-Hearing Hall, Douglas Street. Members who still have grocery-store ticket booklets are asked to return them to Mrs. E. Ripley.

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## Dorothy Dix

### SPOUSE COMPLAINS WIFE UNWILLING TO JOIN HIM IN EVENING OF FUN

Dear Dorothy Dix: Wives are always complaining about their husbands not being willing to take them out stepping at night, and they sniff at the men's alibi that they are tired after a hard day's work and want to rest their feet. What about the other side of the picture, the wives who complain that they are too tired to go anywhere in the evening when the husbands suggest that they go out for dinner, or dancing, or to a show, and yet who are not willing for their husbands to go out with the boys?

Believe me, lady, there are plenty of us with wives who won't go with us, or let us go without them.

#### A MERE HUSBAND.

Answer: That all work and no play makes Jack a dull boy and Jacqueline a peevish and fretful girl is one of the incontrovertible facts of marriage. Both husbands and wives who labor hard at their different occupations, who have many cares and worries and anxieties, need to get away from home now and then and go where there is light and music and laughter; where they will see new people and hear new things and something else to think about except that marriage is a hard road to travel.

All husbands and wives know

this and yet the amusement problem is one with which they seem unable to cope. Sometimes it is the husband who never wants to go out in the evenings because he is tired, and who forgets that his wife has had just as hard a day as he had and, perhaps, a more nerve-wearing one doing the endless, monotonous chores of cooking and sweeping and listening to the baby howl and the children squabble, and who needs to get away from it all for an hour or two. But her husband won't take her anywhere, and so she stewes along in her bitter discontent, and finds what diversion she can in nagging.

Just as often it is the husband who has troubles he would also like to forget by going to see a funny play, or spending the evening with some jolly men friends, but his wife won't let him.

So what are the poor things to do? I would say to meet the situation with some common sense. Instead of quarreling over the going or not going problem, make a schedule for evenings out either together or separately. Let Friend Husband take Maria stepping once or twice a week as her due, and let Maria give her husband his evening off with the boys, or else put on her best dress and go out with him.

It would save many a divorce if husbands and wives would recognize each other's right to a little entertainment.

## With the Clubs

Centennial W.M.S. — Temperance and Christian citizenship were the topics of reports given by Mrs. J. D. Wilson at a meeting of Centennial W.M.S. Miss Mary Samuelson sang. Mrs. Harbridge had the donated articles on display. Mrs. G. V. Wilkinson was in charge of the study book topic.

National Delegate—Mrs. W. N. Martin, provincial president, was nominated to attend the national annual meeting in Regina it was announced at a meeting of the Navy League Chapter, I.O.D.E. Mrs. H. McArthur, was convener, reported two knitting meetings had been held. Next knitting meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. E. Hanbury, 2743 Graham Street, May 30.

Junior V.O.N. Board — Plans were made to secure a typewriter for the V.O.N. office, it was announced at a meeting of the Junior Board of the V.O.N., held at the home of the president, Mrs. Norman Colvin, Carberry House. Members assisted at the Dog Show and also helped at the baby clinic at the City Hall. Miss Marjorie Baird spoke to the members.

Daughters of England—Worthy District Deputy E. Oliver and Sister Melville of Primrose Lodge attended a meeting of Princess Alexandra Lodge, Daughters of England No. 18, Sister E. Jacklin presiding. Members were informed of the shower to be held at Sister Kirchin's for the garden party and of the annual church service Sunday at St. John's Church, meeting at Quadra and Mason Streets at 7.

Entertain at Tea—Mrs. J. Scott and Mrs. C. F. Wharton were hostesses to members of the Loyal Group of Metropolitan W.A. at the home of Mrs. Wharton, 345 Arnold Avenue. The president, Mrs. W. L. Smith, presided. Mrs. J. R. Standen gave a reading on drama in everyday life. Plans were completed for a tea and sale of aprons to be held at the home of Mrs. H. T. Knott, 45 Linden Avenue, June 5. Mrs. J. E. Brown will be in charge of the program. Next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. J. R. Standen, 1222 Pandora Avenue.

Need Radio—A radio is urgently needed for a British merchant ship it was announced at a meeting of the Three Service Auxiliary held Tuesday at the canteen. Members were asked to assist the Children of France Society tag day, and Mrs. H. H. Turner will be the general convener for their corner. V-E day a record crowd of 2,000 customers called at the canteen. A concert has been arranged for Friday which will be the last of the season. Any person interested in donating a radio are asked to call at the canteen or call Miss Frances Price, E 9974.

Buy More Bonds—Another \$100 Victory Bond has been purchased by Victoria Chapter, Women of the Moose, it was announced by Senior Regent E. van Alphen. The bazaar, which will be held May 30, will be opened at 2.30 by Mrs. D. Fairhurst. There will be several stalls, including afternoon tea and a program of entertainment. Nomination of officers will take place May 28. Flowers were presented to older mothers in honor of Mother's Day. A five-piece orchestra will be in attendance at the Klondike night and dance to which brother Moose have been invited. Mrs. M. Benham will convener.

Stagette Club—Members of the Victoria Club will attend the Stagette District Convention to be held at Bowen Island May 19 and 20. It was announced at the last meeting. The annual Stagette tea will be held June 2 from 3 to 6 at the home of Mrs. R. W. Mayhew. A musical program and fortune-telling will be featured during the afternoon.

L.A. to the F.O.E., Aerie No. 12 met Tuesday. Five candidates were initiated. The annual anniversary ball will be held to-night from 9 to 1 in the Aerie room, and Mrs. Rose Beckerley is convener. Officers and degree team will meet Thursday at 8 for a practice. Dramatic club will meet at 9, Thursday, in downstairs hall.

To hold musicale — Plans were discussed for a musicale to be held at the home of Mrs. A. H. Adams, Beach Drive, early in June, at a meeting of the Servant group of the W.A. to Metropolitan Church at the home of Mrs. R. N. E. Harris, Dallas Road. Talks on the San Francisco conference were given by Mrs. Stelck and Mrs. T. Hammond. A silver tea will be held at the home of Mrs. F. W. G. Clark, 305 Denison Road, Tuesday.

### Camosun Chapter Aids Sunshine Camp

The Camosun Chapter I.O.D.E. hut at the Fred Landsberg Sunshine camp will benefit by \$85, proceeds of a lilac tea held by Mesdames R. V. Campbell, R. Macrae and Miss L. M. Sylvester at their home, 1716 Fort Street, Wednesday. Mrs. A. W. Walsh, regent, assisted in receiving, and Mrs. A. Mahnwing was the tea convener. Mrs. S. Meiss was in receipt of customs. Those who were invited to preside at the tea table were: Mesdames P. E. George, Curtis Sampson, Hedden Gillespie, and Miss Kathleen Agnew.

The camp will open June 21, with 12 days camp for the blind. The St. John Ambulance Association will go July 3 to 14; mothers and children, July 14 to 26; junior boys and girls, July 26 to Aug. 7, and senior citizens, Aug. 7 to 17.

### Tag for Solarium

Cowichan Women's Institute made plans for the Solarium tag day June 9 at a meeting Tuesday at the home of Mrs. A. X. Rey. They also decided to hold a garden party and sale during the fall. Mrs. V. S. McLachlan, Women's Institutes' provincial manager, will attend.

Mrs. J. Gilman, president, told of the meeting of South Vancouver Island Board at Lake Hill, attended by Princess Alice. Treasurer's report showed \$50 had been realized from cash hampers, \$30 donated to Red Cross and \$11.50 raised from sale of flowers. Linen was bought for the institute room in the hospital and a cash donation made to the annual linen shower. Mrs. K. Witham and Mrs. H. Fraser served tea.

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## P.T.A. News

Oaklands—At the annual meeting, Mrs. S. Anfield was re-elected president and other officers are: Vice-president, A. Jacobs; honorary vice-president, R. H. McInnes; secretary, Miss Mae Murray; treasurer, Mrs. A. W. Walsh; executive, Mesdames J. J. Tanner, I. Champion, G. O. Hughes, S. Mars, L. A. Gordon, M. Crossman, C. Dodgson, G. Merriman and Mr. R. G. Creech. Delegates appointed to District Council are: Mesdames W. Blair, A. W. Walsh, L. A. Gordon, Mrs. Champion and Messrs. A. Jacobs, L. A. Gordon and Creech. Delegates to attend the Penal Reform Conference are: Mrs. Anfield, Mrs. Blair and Mrs. McInnes. A \$100 Victory Bond has been bought for postwar equipment for the school. Mrs. L. Champion was named convener of the Red Cross tea to be held June 13. A graduation banquet will be held June 5 and sports day June 8. Attendance prizes were won by Mrs. Anfield and Mrs. Champion. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Mars and her committee.

### ESQUIMALT

Efforts will be made to encourage entry of young people into the Hill crest Tennis Club as the result of discussions with executives at a meeting of the Esquimalt P.T.A. The sum of \$50 was voted to the social committee for refreshments to be served to children on the annual school sports day at Bullen Park, May 23. Circulars have been sent to ratepayers in preparation for the polling day, Saturday. The girls' choir sang several selections, with solos by Miss Olive Dornan and Miss Lois Heaton, under the direction of Mrs. Simpson.

A nominations committee was chosen for the annual election of officers in June, headed by B. Caley.

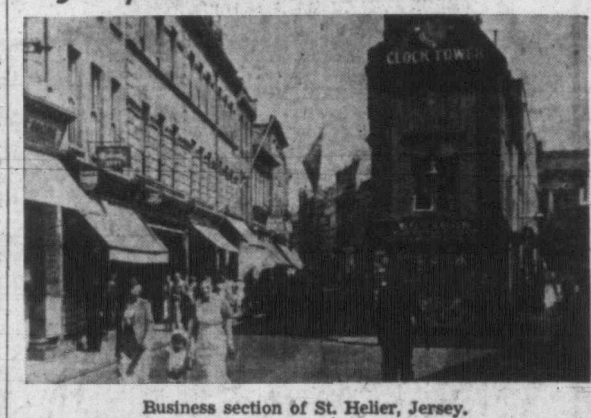
Willows Unit—Mrs. T. Kay was re-elected president of the unit at the annual meeting held in the school auditorium. Mrs. E. Evans installed the new president and other officers elected were: Honorary president, Mrs. B. C. Gillie; first vice-president, P. Noel; second vice-president, Miss C. Menzies; corresponding secretary, Mrs. E. Paver; recording secretary, Mrs. B. Lockend; treasurer, J. Gillie; executive members, Mesdames E. Sessions, W. Burnett, A. Stevenson, J. Gillie, D. Smith and W. Bromley. Plans were made for the fifth annual tea to be held with Montevideo P.T.A., June 6, at the home of Mrs. G. Cameron, 2021 Rynymede, when there will be a display of children's work.

Tillicum Craigflower—At the Craigflower School, Monday at 8, election of officers.

Gordon Head—Annual meeting and election of officers, Tuesday at 3.15.

Marines in Troy — The "Siege of Troy" actually was one of the first landing operations conducted by the early Greek equivalent of a fleet Marine force.

## Tag Day for Channel Islanders



Business section of St. Helier, Jersey.

Although the Channel Islanders have been liberated from the hard heel of German oppression, it is well to remember the hardships and privations through which these hardy people passed during five years under Nazi domination. To ease the pressure of want in the difficult period of readjustment ahead, a tag day is being held in Victoria Saturday by the Victoria branch of the Channel Islands Society.

Average loss of weight of Island residents is 22 pounds, and when it is considered that turkeys sold at 50¢ each, candles at 50¢ apiece, with all other food and necessities selling at equivalent prices—when pro-

curable—this is not to be wondered at.

Channel Islanders evacuated to England have benefited by help from the society by donations of money and clothes. It was five months ago that first Red Cross relief reached the islands.

The need is still great, and the Channel Islands Society seeks support on Saturday. Donations are also accepted and those who wish to contribute are requested to contact Mrs. D. J. Mugford, tag day convener, G 4853.

Special thanksgiving for the liberation of the Channel Islands will be held Sunday at St. John's Church when Rev. George Biddle will conduct the service.

## Y.P. Societies

St. Andrew's Presbyterian—Miss Margaret Boyd continued the study from the Book of Acts, and a review of the previous studies was made.

At the conclusion of the meeting members adjourned to the home of Miss Ann-Roe, Burdett Street, where a social was enjoyed, complimenting Miss Margaret Boyd, who will attend a conference of young women's auxiliaries in Toronto this month.

May 29, the social, previously planned for May 8, will be held and members of the Royal Navy will be guests. The nomination committee met in the rectory at the close of the meeting and all members are especially requested to be present at the annual meeting Tuesday when the new officers will be elected.

### Tells Pacific Policy

R. W. Mayhew said no persuasion has been used to influence troops to volunteer for the Pacific, during a women's meeting at Victoria West Liberal Association headquarters, Skinner Street. He explained that members of the armed forces wishing to volunteer for the Pacific would be given a questionnaire to be filled out at leisure.

"Canada must go the whole way with the United States in the fight against Japan," said Mr.

## Celebrate Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Creelman will entertain at tea Saturday at 3.15 at St. Mary's Priory in celebration of their diamond wedding anniversary. They were married in Truro, Nova Scotia, May 19, 1885, and have lived in Victoria for the past nine years. Mr. Creelman, who has been in railroading for more than 70 years, came to British Columbia with the C.P.R. following his marriage and they resided at Port Moody. They have two children, Mrs. Claude Campbell and Mr. Hugh Creelman, and four grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

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## Private Enterprise Best, Bracken Tells Sudbury Audience

SUDBURY, Ont. (CP) — The Progressive Conservative Party believes the rights of workers can best be protected by a system of private enterprise rather than by a system of public ownership, John Bracken, national leader of the party, told a political rally here Thursday night.

Mr. Bracken made the statement when a man in the audience interrupted him while he was outlining the party's labor policies before a mixed audience in this northern Ontario mining city, another stop-off point in his cross-country federal election campaign tour.

Mr. Bracken said some people believed the rights of workers could best be secured under a system of public ownership.

"The C.C.F. believes in that," shouted a man in the audience.

Mr. Bracken said he knew the C.C.F. believed in state ownership, but they would learn better before they go much older. The doctrines of the C.C.F. had been condemned 100 years ago when they appeared in the Marxian communistic manifesto.

Another questioner wanted to know where the Progressive Conservative Party had proved itself. Mr. Bracken said his party would prove itself and he asked where the C.C.F. had proved itself.

### HE OPPOSED BENNETT

At one point a man interjected: "Is R. B. Bennett, Viscount Bennett, former Conservative leader, your friend?"

"I voted against R. B. Bennett, if that is of any interest to you," said Mr. Bracken, a Liberal Progressive before he accepted the Progressive Conservative Party leadership in 1942. The Progressive Party was a new party that stood for the preservation of the best of yesterday and the acceptance of the best of today.

The party stood for a job for every man at fair pay, for furthering the development and growth of the trade union movement, for outlawing company dominated or financed unions, for the spread of labor management committees, for genuine compulsory collective bargaining, for holidays with pay and for a uniform and comprehensive security plan to cover all Canadians.

The Progressive Conservative Party in government would call a Dominion-provincial conference to draw up a simplified tax structure and to remove duplications, said Mr. Bracken. Personal income tax rates would be lowered and the taxation system changed so that business would not be discouraged from investing "venture" capital.

Mr. Bracken spoke for one hour and a half and the interruptions and questions were spread over a period of about 10 minutes.

Today, Mr. Bracken was traveling to Kenora, Ont., where he will address a meeting Saturday.

## New Trial Ordered

A new trial for Mrs. Helen Keillor, 18, to begin on Monday was ordered in Assize Court by Mr. Justice A. M. Harper Thursday afternoon when the jury, after deliberating for an hour and 18 minutes, was unable to agree.

Mrs. Keillor, sailor's bride of a year, is charged with the theft of two \$50 War bonds from Mrs. Roberta M. Moore on March 2.

The jury was: Alexander McCabe, foreman; Arthur Benson Armstrong, Michael O'Connell, Robert Arter, Harold Charles Parfitt, Robert S. Jervis-Read, Richard Holman, Herbert Laurence Johnson, Ernest William Pitman, Thomas Davis Bailey, Garnet David Baker and Harold Garney Vaio.

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# Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

ALTHOUGH the Gyro Club's annual hole-in-one golf tournament, which resulted in raising \$5,000 for the Solarium last year, will not be held until July the call has already gone out for balls. The club will have to beg, borrow or steal 400 balls to meet requirements for this year's event. Available supply carried over from last year is down to 60. Appeal has been launched early as it will take time to have the balls reconditioned, recovered or repainted. A ball of any description, no matter how badly it is scuffed, will be welcomed. A special appeal has been made to the manufacturers to recondition the pellets and anybody having old balls around is asked to turn them over to any member of the club. The golf competition is the main attraction of the carnival and the Gyros are anxious the affair should prove as successful financially as last year.

LOOKS as if Morton Cooper, in quitting the world champion St. Louis Cardinals for the third time, was going after the modern "walkout" records of such other major league ball players as "Homesick" Huck, Geary, Buddy Rosar and Billup Phelps. But he'll never even threaten Rube Waddell's all-time mark. Waddell used to leave the Philadelphia Athletics almost any time someone suggested it would be a good idea to go fishing. The way the Cards are going right now they are certainly going to need the services of the big righthander. Looks like owner Sam Breadon will have to do a little more stretching on that bankroll as it seems additional salary is what Cooper wants.

BITTER rivals in the city league in recent years the Victoria Machinery Depot and Navy clubs hook up for the first time in the new season tonight. Last fall it was the bluejackets who knocked out the shipyarders in their march to the city championship. Manager Jimmy Lyon and his boys will be after a little revenge tonight. V.M.D. revealed a well-balanced line-up in their first appearance against the Eagles, despite the lack of competition, while the Navy are certain to prove championship contenders with a large number of holdovers from last season's line-up. Navy have lost all their pitching corps of last year but are reported to have good replacements.

SOMETHING new in local football will be tried out Saturday afternoon in the island semifinal of the Province Cup series between the V.M.D. and Wests when two referees work the game. It was announced today that Danny Glancy and Joe Obee have been appointed along with a couple of neutral linesmen. No doubt each referee will take half the field—enabling an official to be up on the play at all times. The idea is purely an experiment but it will be interesting to see just how the plan works out. Whether or not one official will make a call in his fellow-referee's portion of the field remains to be seen. One thing is certain—two pairs of eyes should be able to follow the play much closer than one. However, knowing soccer fans, I'll wager they find fault with the decisions of the two officials. It will just give them an extra referee to criticize.

## Three Ball Games Set

Teams in the senior ball league will engage in three games tonight and Saturday. This evening's engagement will see the Navy, holders of the city championship, make their first appearance against the V.M.D., last year's league winners. Game time is 6.15.

Play tomorrow will be marked by the holding of the official opening ceremonies—postponed last Saturday owing to rain. They will start at 2, with Mayor George slated to pitch the first ball and senior officers of the three services taking part in the opening. Garrison and R.C.N. bands will be in attendance.

The official opening will be followed by a game between the Navy and Army finalists in the city championship playoff last fall. In the evening game the R.C.A.F. nine will make its second appearance against the Eagles, beaten their first time out by the V.M.D. Flyers won their opener from the Army. This tilt will get away at 6.15. Eagles drum and bugle corps will attend.

Cy Shillito, leading pitcher in the league last season, is slated to work on the mound for the

V.M.D. tonight, with Don Johnson or Gordon Carpenter to get the call from the Navy.

Entire proceeds from tomorrow's two games will be divided between the Solarium Junior League and the P.O.W.

Opening game in the Inter-Service Fastball League saw H.M.C.S. Givenchy defeat H.M.C.S. Naden 6 to 1, behind the three-hit pitching of Cy Taylor.

Feature of the game was the hurling of Taylor, who struck out 18, and held his opponents scoreless, except for a lone run in the sixth.

Short score follows:

Givenchy	6	10	1
Naden	1	3	2

Batteries—Taylor and Jackson; Bawn and Darbyson.

K.V.'S PRACTICE

A practice of K.V.'s junior fastball team will be held Sunday morning at 10.30 at Victoria High School grounds.

Walker Cooper is now in the navy.

## They'll Do It Every Time



## Cooper-Cardinals Hope to Settle Salary Argument

ST. LOUIS (AP)—An agreement over salary differences, which promoted pitcher Mort Cooper for the third time this spring to leave the St. Louis Cardinals, appeared brighter today.

His attorney, Lee J. Havener, conferred with Cardinal president Sam Breadon in Rochester, N.Y., by telephone and announced a meeting here for Tuesday or Wednesday of all parties, including manager Billy Southworth.

"My talk with Breadon was cordial and we are near an agreement," Havener said. "I'm confident we can get together."

Havener said Cooper had received a telegram from Southworth advising the big right-hander he had been fined \$500 and suspended indefinitely for leaving the team Wednesday morning.

Cooper returned to St. Louis Friday from Boston.

"Southworth did the only thing he could under the circumstances," Havener asserted.

Although he quoted Cooper as saying he did not plan to rejoin the team on its present eastern trip, Havener expressed the hope Mort would do so. Cooper could not be reached for comment.

The salary dispute came into the open at the beginning of the National League season. Cooper and his brother, Walker, the Redbird catcher, signed 1945 contracts for \$12,000 but quit the club when they learned shortstop Marty Marion would receive \$13,000 subject to War Stabilization Board approval. They countered Breadon's offer of \$13,500 with demands for \$15,000 and re-joined the club only at Havener's request.

Later Mort failed to leave with the team for a series in Cincinnati but joined the club the following day.

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## Carpet Bowling

Side-a of mchra in the Britannia Branch carpet bowling tournament today.

SINGLES  
R. Partitt lost by default to J. White. Mrs. Goodell 12, Mrs. Jones 8. A. Holloway won by default from E. Brown.

DOUBLES  
C. Hutton and C. Morrison 28, C. Shubbrook and C. Hastings. Mrs. Kirchin and J. Berwick 27, H. Easer and Mrs. Walker. D. Ryka and H. Clear 17, J. Breerton and R. Clarke. Mrs. Murray and R. Partitt 20, Mrs. Weston and C. Hutton. Mrs. Breerton and Mrs. Jones 12, M. Middleton and Mrs. Kirchin. Mrs. Bone and C. Shubbrook 11, Mrs. Copp and D. Ryka 18. Mrs. Williams and A. Hampton 15, Mrs. Burton and G. Knight 17. Mrs. Middleton and R. Nippen 11. Mrs. Breerton and G. Wood 24. Mrs. Watto and W. Hay won by default from Mrs. Goodell and R. Clarke.

## Play Final Today In Women's Golf

Mary Mackenzie-Grieve and Mrs. W. S. Smith battled today over the Uplands links for the club championship. In semifinals Thursday, Miss Mackenzie-Grieve eliminated Mrs. H. G. MacKenzie, medalist, while Mrs. Smith won from Mrs. S. D. Horsford.

Flight results follow:

FIRST FLIGHT  
Mrs. M. Young defeated Mrs. A. E. Osborn.

SECOND FLIGHT  
Mrs. R. L. Pocock defeated Mrs. W. Erickson.

THIRD FLIGHT  
Mrs. E. H. Livingstone defeated Miss M. F. Press.

FOURTH FLIGHT  
Mrs. A. C. Coll and Mrs. McK. White finished all square. Lady Coll won the draw into the final.

Mrs. A. M. Jones defeated Mrs. G. K. Verley.

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## King's Plate Forecast

UTTERMOST (CP)—The tiny black type of the past performance charts stamps Uttermost indelibly as the big horse of the 1945 King's Plate picture.

In the precise columns which are required reading for every racing fan, there's a bracketed notation which is significant: Uttermost \$18,595.

The figure refers to the bankroll the swift bay colt acquired last year for breeder-owner Harry C. Hatch of Toronto in winning, among other events, the triple crown of Ontario's juvenile racing—the Coronation Stakes, Clarendon Plate and Mrs. Orpen's Cup and Saucer.

No other two-year-old last season approached the earnings of the son of imported Soleil Du Mid, which started on the glory up, he said today, ruefully surveying his dusty dungarees and dirt-stained sweat shirt. "Now most of the ground is on me."

But the wiry, 155-pound player, who slugged his way to three championships while collecting a total of 3,152 hits, isn't giving up baseball—not exactly.

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## Racing Results

AT SANTA ANITA  
First race—Three furlongs: Sire Prince (Jockey) \$4.50 \$3.00 \$4.20. Streeper (Layton) — 21.40 10.00. Wiper (Jockey) — 2.40. Time, 1:12.5. Also ran: Barbed Heels, Elmer Way, Border Gypsy, Sea Lion, Emper.

Second race—Six furlongs: Old Shual (Jockey) \$8.40 \$4.50 \$2.50. Fairy Bee (Bailey) — 4.20 2.50. Nibbe (Hutton) — 3.40. Time, 1:12.5. Also ran: Red Chariot, Major Ren, Montclair, Girl Friend, Just Ready, Positive, Also ran: Chancery, Dark Ivory, Volant Prince.

Third race—One mile and a sixteenth: Navy Bomber (Longden) \$13.50 \$6.10 \$4.10. Alpha Ace (Grobs) — 10.30 5.10. Page Boy (Westrop) — 4.10. Time, 1:44.2. Also ran: Helen's Boy, Plumewy, Palfire, Double Lady, Gailani, Little Khony, Darby Dean.

Fourth race—Six furlongs: Paris Nygro (Grobs) — \$3.20 \$2.50 \$2.50. Flying Thunder (Palmer) — 2.50 2.50. Colt of War (Corbett) — 2.80. Time, 1:12.5. Also ran: Lucky Cross, Arca, Hickory King.

Fifth race—Six furlongs: Bismark (Jockey) — \$2.50 \$2.50 \$2.50. Valinda Streak (Jockey) — 12.30 5.30. Hinkton (Bailey) — 2.50. Time, 1:12.5. Also ran: Valinda Glass, Gray Lord, Mossy Lake, Sath Slave.

Sixth race—Six furlongs: Texas Sandman (Peterson) \$15.50 \$3.80 \$2.60. Welsa (Jockey) — 4.40 2.50. Blue Pennant (Layton) — 12.10 5.10. Time, 1:34.2. Also ran: Autocret, Pirata, Sammy Angel.

Seventh race—Six furlongs: Battle De Bang (Longden) \$6.50 \$4.10 \$2.50. Prech As Palmi — 4.80 4.40. Pomtonia — 6.00. Time, 1:12.4. Also ran: Gallant Devil, Ruliste, Passion, Mexicana, Grades Queen, Great Ripple, Markwood, Capetown.

Eighth race—One mile and a sixteenth: Sir War (Grobs) — \$4.70 \$2.50 \$2.40. Turntable (Westrop) — 2.90 2.50. Porteus Best (Longden) — 2.40. Time, 1:40.1. Also ran: Sirength, Philadelphia, Stillman.

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Second Race—\$21.80 \$10.00 \$5.40. Mack's Dream — 6.80 4.40. Derolay's Bay — 3.80. Time, 1:12.4. Also ran: Sirength, Philadelphia, Stillman.

Third Race—\$21.80 \$7.40 \$2.80. Bristol Boy — 4.40 3.00. Welsa (Jockey) — 2.50. Time, 1:12.4. Also ran: Gallant Devil, Ruliste, Passion, Mexicana, Grades Queen, Great Ripple, Markwood, Capetown.

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Fifth Race—\$6.80 \$4.40 \$2.60. Miss Wolterine — 4.40 2.50. Weeping — 2.50. Time, 1:12.4. Also ran: Sirength, Philadelphia, Stillman.

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## Uttermost Solid Choice

Paul Waner Now Spends His Time Making Vaults

PITTSBURGH (AP)—Paul Gleg Waner, who used to plaster his over major league baseball fields, now is plastering concrete vaults, and he likes it.

Released by New York Yankees two weeks ago, the 42-year-old outfielder came back to Pittsburgh where he spent 15 of his 19 years in the big league, bought a partnership in a vault business and went to work.

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## V.M.D. Wests In Cup Soccer Clash; Use Two Referees

In the final scheduled game of the local football season V.M.D. and Victoria West will clash tomorrow afternoon at Macdonald Park in the island semifinal of the Province Cup series. Kickoff is set for 3 with two referees, Danny Glancy and Joe Obee, officiating.

Winner of this match will tackle Nanaimo in the island final. The latter reached the deciding round when Cumberland defaulted.

V.M.D. line-up will be bolstered by the addition of a couple of players from other clubs, while the Wests will have young Vince Clarkson in goal in place of Tommy Restell, who will be busy with his baseball umpiring. Wests will also be without Eddie Gibson and Earl Barnswell, laid up with injuries.

Teams will be selected from the following:

V.M.D.—Evans, Sadler, Foster, J. Robbins, G. Robbins, C. Leggett, Loralind, Jenkins, Fieldhouse, McCormick, Barnswell, Bell, Robinson, Parks, Payne, Youlden and Walker.

Wests—Clarkson, Youson, R. Bell, McMillan, Perkins, C. Robbins, Travis, Musgrave, C. Restell, Hayward, Reside, Scott and Hutchison.

## Sheet Metal Wins Second Straight

Pacific Sheet Metal fastballers made it two straight in the men's B division with a 4 to 1 victory last night over Brentwood Aces. Stan Tennings pitched his second victory of the week.

Metal workers got away to a flying start in the first inning when Eddie Redder clouted a home run with two teammates aboard.

Aces' lone run was scored in the last of the ninth and came as the result of a wild pitch.

In the women's division the Sports Club cleaned the Victoria Box and Paper, last year's champions, by a score of 12 to 4.

It was the Sports Club game all the way. The battery for the Sports Club was M. Hanna, pitcher, and M. Milligan, catcher. Miss Hanna's pitching was the feature of the evening.

Joe Foster's defeated the Hudson's Bay nine 17 to 3. Pitcher for Foster's was H. Pettigrew, catcher, was M. Manson. The Bay's battery was E. Newton, pitcher, and D. Walton, catcher.

Tonight the Wrens will take on the R.C.A.F. (W.D.) at upper Central Park, while on the lower diamond the V.M.D. play New Method.

Short scores follow:

Pacific S.M.	4	6	2
Brentwood Aces	1	4	2

Batteries—Tennings and Hibbert; Aspinwall and J. Turner.			
Hudson's Bay	3	5	5
Joe Posters	17	19	3
Batteries—Newton and Walton; Pettigrew and Manson.			
Sports Club	12	14	1
Victoria Box	4	9	2
Batteries—Hanna and Milliken; Hay, Lehman, Hlaus and Elliott.			

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## Brooklyn's Great Win Streak Ended

The honeymoon was over in Flatbush today with the Brooklyn Dodgers' 11-game win streak in ruins and the New York Giants still rolling in high gear.

Pittsburgh did a thorough job on Leo Durocher's gang which had knocked them off three in a row and bounced back to rout the flock yesterday, 12 to 3. It was the first loss for Brooklyn to the western clubs that sunk them 64 times in 88 starts last season.

Maybe Frankie Frisch had the right answer to his Pirate problems when he benched five regulars Wednesday. Frisch put Bob Elliott, Babe Dahlgren, Tommy Obrien, Frankie Gustine and Al Lopez back in the line-up and coasted home on a 15-hit cushion, nine blows coming from the "doghouse" five.

Charley Grimm spent another dreary afternoon in the Cubs' third-base coaching box, again getting more exercise waving relief pitchers in from the bullpen than from waving baserunners home. Claude Passeau had the Giants down, 5 to 2, going into the last of the eighth, but he walked Mel Ott and was nicked by Joe Medwick, Phil Weintraub and Ernie Lombardi in succession for the start of a six-run spurt. Eleven men went to bat and four Cub pitchers sweat it out as New York rallied to win 8 to 5.

Pittsburgh was due to come into the Polo Grounds today and then the Giants would have seen all the western clubs. So far they haven't been duly impressed.

## Famous Baseball Figure Passes

AUBURN, N.Y. (AP)—John H. Farrell, 80, founder and secretary-treasurer of the National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues for four decades, died Thursday.

Farrell's name tops a list of baseball notables on a plaque at Cooperstown's baseball hall of fame. At one time he handled 90 per cent of all decisions in organized baseball.

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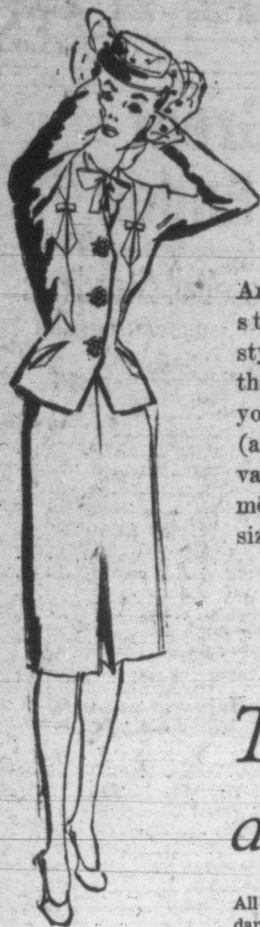
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### New Bank Director

The board of directors of the Dominion Bank has elected A. St. Clair Gordon as a director. Mr. Gordon, a prominent Wallaceburg businessman, is president of Schultz Die Casting Company Ltd., Sydenham Trading

Company Ltd., and the National Pressure Cooker Company of Canada Ltd. He is also director of a number of well-known Canadian corporations.

### Freed From Internment

Two city almsmen, Sqdn. Ldr. Arnold Phillips, R.A.F., and WO. Herbert C. Langton, R.C.A.F., have been freed from internment in Germany, according to word received here.

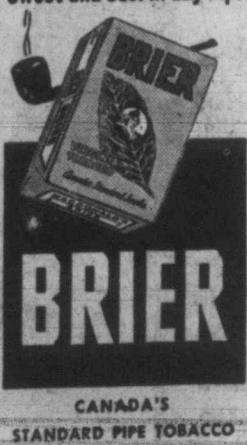
Son of Mrs. E. A. Phillips, 1618 Wilmet Place, Oak Bay, Phillips crashed in his bomber August 23, 1943, over Berlin. His wife and two children live at Calgary.

A bomber pilot, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Langton, 492 St. Patrick Street, Langton, a prisoner since September 1942, saw action over Malta in that year and was reported missing over Derna, Libya. He was a prisoner at Sator, Italy, for a time before being taken to Germany.

Educated at Monterey and Oak Bay High Schools, he enlisted in March, 1941, and won his wings the same year.

Y.M.C.A. board of directors' monthly meeting will be held Monday at 8, at which reports will be given by Miss Alma Malcolm and Tom Hart, on the youth conference at Ottawa.

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## Drayton Says Bracken Cause of Any Good Work

If the Mackenzie King government has done any good at all for Canada it is only because it has been stirred into action by John Bracken and opposition members of Parliament, Sir Henry Drayton, Progressive Conservative candidate in the June 11 federal election, told a meeting in St. Mary's Hall Thursday evening.

He was supported by Brig. J. Sutherland Brown and R. H. Tupper of Vancouver. R. A. Wooton, president of Oak Bay Progressive Conservative Association was chairman.

"It took Bracken, who has been running around the country stirring things up to wake up Mr. King," Sir Henry said. "The Conservatives have awakened King. But, if there is one thing Canada needs and wants today it is to get rid of Mackenzie King. Good and decent men like Mr. Mayhew, he's got too heavy a load when he tries to carry King in this constituency—it simply cannot be done."

Sir Henry, who was Federal Finance Minister in 1919, 1920 and 1921, referring to the 1942 conscription plebiscite said there was one group in Canada which Mr. King regarded as his master's voice.

"Here in Victoria, where you people believe in equality of sacrifice, where you voted seven to one for conscription, the party whip cracked so hard, the block party was so strong that my good friend Mr. Mayhew actually voted in the House of Commons against your considered opinion and against the real necessity of your fighting men overseas," Sir Henry said.

### A SAILOR TOLD HIM

He said he had only just found out why ex-Navy Minister MacDonald had left the cabinet—because he could not agree with Prime Minister King that in the Pacific war the Canadian Navy would be on a volunteer basis. He said he had learned this from a sailor.

Mr. King wants to make Zombies in the naval service," Sir Henry said. "No wonder Mr. MacDonald is out."

He paid tribute to Mr. MacDonald, saying he had done something worthwhile in building up the Canadian Navy. Mr. King, he said, by putting the navy on a volunteer basis, simply wants to placate one province, thereby insulting all the officers and men in the service.

Brig. Brown, advocating a standing army for Canada, said: "It's about time we had a military policy in this country—since the last war we've drifted along. There is no use in these days depending on a citizen's army, fine as that can be. We need at least an infantry division, plus auxiliary troops and an armored brigade—if Canada is a nation she must take on the responsibilities of a nation."

He said it is not fair that the men who have fought the European war should be asked to volunteer for the Pacific. A token force from Canada in the war against the Japanese, he said, will be a disgrace to this country.

### WHY WITH U.S.?

"And why are they (Canadian soldiers) going to serve with the Americans and not with the British?" he asked. "I don't like that—Mackenzie may have a reason, but I can't see it."

Mr. Tupper said that in the coming Parliament of Canada,

where it is hoped many young men will serve, "they are going to profit from some of the wise experience Sir Henry Drayton can give them."

Dealing with the C.C.F., Mr. Tupper said: "After five and a half years of fighting one kind of socialism are we going to vote for another kind at home? Nor do I think anyone in this riding is going to support a party which cherishes the Japanese. Every C.C.F. member which B.C. sends to Ottawa will be an indication to Canada that B.C. wants to keep the Japanese in Canada. I would ask you to remember, too, that in 1939 the C.C.F. was against armed intervention in Europe."

The C.C.F., he said, in the Herby affair in Kootenay West, had given a "surprising and contemptible exhibition of something we had scotched in Europe—dictatorship of a few over the majority. When parties begin to dominate the right of individuals it is time they should go."

### TRIBUTE TO LISLEY

Mr. Tupper said he would deal with Prime Minister King's remarks that his cabinet is composed of tried and trusted men. Ralston, MacDonald and Power, he said, didn't want any more of Mr. King. He paid tribute to Finance Minister Lacey and Munitions Minister Howe, as the only two in the cabinet of 22 as really tried and trusted. He noted 13 of the cabinet are lawyers and "when there are too many of us I'm not sure we're like the cooks and spoil the broth."

This, he said, is not the time to start racial animosities—Quebec has been more sinned against than sinful.

Of the Prime Minister and the Quebec issue, he said: "That man has done more harm to Canada than any other man in our lifetime. He has worked race against race, creed against creed. This is our opportunity to cure that picture—we won't have a government which doesn't have to jump at the crack of the whip from one province. We can do the best for Quebec and the best for ourselves by seeing John Bracken forms a government which needs no support from Quebec."

### DISLIKES CHURCHILL STATEMENT

Mr. Tupper criticized the Prime Minister for quoting Winston Churchill's tribute to Canada on V-E Day.

"I don't think King can shelter in the words of that great Englishman any more than he can smoke his cigars or wear his hat," he said. "He (the Prime Minister) has sought to take credit for himself for what has

been a grand national effort of all our people. If he is returned we will find disunity at home, weak isolation abroad; if John Bracken is elected—and he will be—we will have unity at home, pride in Canada and we will face up to our responsibilities to the British Commonwealth and the world."

Mr. Wooton said the people are aroused. "Canada's magnificent war effort is the performance of the people of Canada and not necessarily of the government," Mr. Wooton said.

Lt.-Col. Macgregor Macintosh thanked the speakers.

## Cruiser Steamed Into Enemy Harbor

LONDON (AP)—The saga of the British light cruiser Manxman, which, in disguise, steamed boldly into an enemy harbor, mined it and safely withdrew, was disclosed Thursday night.

The daring operation was performed "right under the noses of the Germans and Italians" in the harbor of Leghorn, Italy, in 1941, and resulted in the sinking of "important Italian ships," Rear-Admiral R. K. Dickson, former commander of the Manxman, said in a BBC broadcast.

The Manxman is the fastest ship in the British navy. Admiral Dickson was told to disguise the vessel as the French cruiser Leopard—and within 24 hours. The effect was so realistic it fooled passing German planes and a real French cruiser which sailed nearby.

The Manxman, flying the French colors, steamed around the north end of Corsica to the great port of Leghorn at night and laid the mines without interference.

## Game of Catch Costly For Finance Company

NEW YORK (AP)—The weather was balmy, just right for a game of catch—and the Household Finance Corporation is out \$1,050.

The only bean-bag handy was one containing the day's receipts of the corporation.

The bag went back and forth—then one player missed and \$1,050 went sailing out an open window.

The bag landed near a startled girl, strolling down the street. She took one look inside, the clerks told police investigators, squealed, and raced away with it.

### Deposits Increase

OTTAWA (CP)—Dominion government deposits increased \$10,148,000 to \$64,924,000 during the week ended May 16, the Bank of Canada reported today in its weekly financial statement. Chartered bank deposits increased \$15,547,000 to \$438,744,000, and notes in circulation increased \$1,338,000 to \$1,065,648,000.

## John Bracken—The Farmer



On the 11th of December, 1942, John Bracken stood in the Auditorium in Winnipeg before a great concourse of people. John Bracken—the Farmer—was accepting the leadership of a great resurgent people's party. In ringing tones he was speaking of "The People's Charter". And the soul-searching sincerity of this man of the soil, with his vision of Canada, of Canadians and the

"world of plenty that lies within our grasp" was deeply moving.

Picture the background of this man—this moment. John Bracken, the farm boy, on his father's farm in Ontario, milking, haying, carrying in the wood; plowing... then young Bracken, honours student at the Ontario Agricultural College going to Manitoba as representative of the Department of Agriculture... on to Saskatchewan as Superintendent of Fairs and Farmers' Institutes and Secretary of the Provincial Livestock Association... then, later, John Bracken, author, writing books about farms, farming, farmers...

And now years later, in Winnipeg, John Bracken, the farmer, is speaking of "the right of farmers and other primary producers to a fair share of the nation's income." Notice the simplicity of the language he uses, clear, concise—sincere.

"During the last decade," he is saying, "farm income fell to such a low average as to become of very great concern in our Canadian economy. It is the responsibility of the nation to see that this great inequity shall not be perpetuated."

Then, suddenly his voice rises, becomes even clearer, more inclusive. "I may say quite frankly that if it had not been for that plank in your platform which provides for a square deal for agriculture, I would not be here."

Two years later, in Alliston, Ontario,—again the same simplicity, the moving sincerity.

"I am an agrarian," said John Bracken, "and I am a Canadian... who seeks to correct the major social injustice of our day—the unfairly small share of the national income that goes to farmers and farm workers and farm workers." Then, with a statesman's enlargement of vision, he added, "When the injustice to the farmer is removed, the economy of Canada as a whole will be strengthened."

No one could be less parochial in his outlook—more deeply concerned with national welfare than John Bracken, the farmer who embarked twenty years ago on a career so successful as to be without precedent in contemporary political history within the British Commonwealth of Nations.

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Magistrate Hall had given suspended sentence to an overseas army sergeant who had pleaded guilty to a charge of striking his wife. The court then settled back to its normal routine, and the sergeant relaxed.

Mayor Percy George will address the Tourist Trade Group annual meeting, Monday, at 12:05 in Spencer's dining-room.

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## Gets Majority



With the 2nd Anti-Tank Regiment in Holland, Maj. E. A. Foubister received recent promotion to his present rank, according to word received by his wife, Thelma, who with their two small children, Murray and Sandra, lives with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Foubister, 1270 Denman Street. Mrs. Foubister was in the A.T.S. in England before her marriage, and is a relative of the Scottish comedian, Sir Harry Lauder.

## Pearkes Challenged To Explain Stand

Challenging Maj.-Gen. G. R. Pearkes to explain the statement of Paul E. Lafontaine, Progressive Conservative Party provincial organizer in Quebec, made in the Montreal Gazette of last Tuesday, George Greenwell, at a meeting in Langford Hall Thursday night stated the Progressive Conservative Party had two programs—one for Quebec and one for the rest of Canada.

Mr. Greenwell, Labor Progressive Party candidate in the Nanaimo riding, referred to Lafontaine's announcement—the Progressive party would not oppose Camille Houde, Ligouri LaCombe, P. J. Cardin and Frederic Dorion.

"These are the men, leaders of the Bloc Populaire, Union Nationale and dissident Liberal groups, who have been and are most active in opposition to the war effort and conscription," Greenwell said. "The support by the Progressive Conservative Party of these elements in Quebec gives the lie to their campaign in the rest of Canada."

Mr. Greenwell spoke of his party's program of national unity, health insurance, national labor code and farm policy, and the imperative need of Canada maintaining the closest co-operation with other nations to establish an effective peace organization and expanding international trade.

Ernest Emery  
Lions' President

Ernest H. Emery was unanimously elected president at the luncheon meeting of the Victoria Lions Club held in Spencer's dining-room Thursday. Arthur Cann was re-elected secretary and W. I. Land was appointed treasurer.

On June 7, other officers will be filled at an election. Nominating committee members are Alec Henderson, Geoffrey Ellis and R. Peers.

The Lions appointed Mr. Henderson as club delegate to a meeting of the V.M.D. Foreman's Club to be held at Empress Hotel June 1. Efforts of the Foreman's Club for continuation of ship-building in Victoria were endorsed.

Other delegates named were James Robert who will represent the Lions at a conference on penal reform at Empress Hotel May 30, and William Taverner who will attend open house at the Colwood R.C.A.F. Convalescent Home also on May 30. Members decided to give assistance to the L.O.D.E. at a victory fair in August. Endorsement was given a brief of the Greater Victoria Amalgamation Committee.

Pte. J. E. Stahl, Carleton and York Regiment, was wounded in action in Germany April 15, according to advice received by his father, E. G. Stahl, 740 Hillside Avenue. Stahl enlisted at Peace River in 1940. He was wounded previously during the Italian campaign.

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A slight increase in the number of auto license plates issued by the Victoria office of the Motor Vehicle Department up to April 30 this year was shown in a report today of Superintendent G. A. Hood.

Throughout the province there was also a slight increase in the number of auto licenses issued, the largest gain being made in New Westminster, indicating that the Fraser Valley is receiving more than its share of emigrants to the province.

To April 30 this year, 122,119 autos in B.C. had been licensed, compared with 121,832 at that time last year. This total is broken down as follows with the similar statistics for last year in brackets: Passenger cars 91,657 (90,068); commercial cars 28,311 (28,336); motorcycles 1,732 (2,538); and dealers 419 (390).

The statistics for the Victoria office are: Passenger cars 17,703 (16,467); commercial 4,291 (4,017); motorcycles 487 (476) and dealers 47 (48).

Mr. Hood said the gain this year here did not necessarily indicate there were more cars in the Victoria district because the number of licenses issued by mail from the office here had increased.

New Westminster statistics follow: Passenger 15,453 (14,607); commercial 4,213 (3,692); motorcycles 213 (184) and dealers 48 (35).

Vancouver—Passenger 35,424 (35,952); commercial 9,284 (11,040); motorcycle 743 (1,583) and dealers 199 (192).

Rest of B.C.—Passenger 23,072 (23,042); commercial 10,523 (10,087); motorcycle 299 (293) and dealers 125 (115).

While a great majority of the licenses are purchased in the first two months of the motor record office's year starting March 1, Mr. Hood said that with new cars a possibility this year the figures may be considerably increased before the year's end.

Henry's Commander  
Spends Leave Here

Capt. Valentine S. Godfrey, R.C.N., commander of H.M.C.S. Prince Henry during her hazardous operations in the Mediterranean theatre, is spending a month's leave with his wife and two children, Peggy and John, at their home, 2220 Beach Drive.

The captain states his intention of "getting in some fishing, probably at Cowichan," before he returns to duty.

His former command, the Prince Henry, is no longer with the R.C.N., having been turned over to the British Admiralty. The ship's crew is back in Canada on leave.

Capt. Godfrey played a big role in the Allied invasion of France in command of the Prince Henry. He served with the Royal Navy in the first World War, came to Canada, and was stationed at Halifax before being transferred to Washington, D.C., as naval member of the Canadian Joint staff, in April, 1943. His wife is a Victoria girl, the former Margaret Hardie.

Plans for the Victoria H-Y annual banquet, to be held June 6, were discussed by Beta Hi-Yo Club members at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Benson, 42 Gorge Road, Wednesday evening, with Alan Nicholson in the chair.

## Reported Killed



Pte. Sidney Joseph Backus of the 1st Canadian Scottish is reported killed overseas, according to recent word received by his father, Thomas J. Backus, 2259 Willows Road.

Display of Products  
At Oak Bay School

The B.C. manufacturers' display to be held at the Oak Bay High School May 31 was discussed and approved of at a meeting of the Oak Bay Community Centre held at the Community Centre Hall, Monday night at 7.30.

Proceeds of the display, which will be shown in the afternoon for schoolchildren and in the evening for their parents, will be divided between the Oak Bay Community Centre and the school board for a sports accident fund.

Colin T. Martin, chairman of the Oak Bay school trustees, will preside at the afternoon program, which will include a colored film of B.C. products, "Dollars and Sense," and a quiz program with 25 \$1 cash prizes.

In the evening Seymour de Gruchy, chairman of the B.C. Products and Industrial Bureau, will give a short talk, and the other entertainment will consist of songs by the Oak Bay High School Choir, dancing, violin selections, balancing acts and a quiz, with \$75 in cash prizes, as well as \$50 worth of merchandise in special prizes.

Gas Coupon Case  
Resumed at Assizes

Adjourned from Thursday for the purpose of subpoenaing two defence witnesses, the trial of William Fournier, taxi-driver, accused of receiving two gasoline ration coupon books stolen by two juveniles from Scott and Peden Ltd., April 15 and paying \$17 for them, resumed in County Court before Judge H. H. Shandley Friday morning.

A. P. Dawe, defence council, sought leave to recall Crown witnesses, but on the objection of H. W. R. Moore, appearing for the Crown, Judge Shandley refused.

Mr. Dawe then called three more witnesses to complete his case for the defence.

First to take the stand was Thomas Harvey Bamford, official stenographer for the Supreme Court of British Columbia, who read evidence taken in the case of Rex vs. Rhodes and Ferriday, to show "that the two juveniles were at the Beacon Cab office about 5 o'clock, April 15, and that they had been at the Blue Bell Cafe and the Black and White cab stand before that time."

Wesley Trimble, proprietor of the Black and White Taxi Ltd., presented the firm's slips showing that Fournier was never in the office for 10 minutes at a time on the afternoons the juveniles claim they made arrangements to sell the coupon books to him. But he admitted that all the slips except one might have been made out by Fournier himself.

Last witness, Charles Harold Churchill, taxi driver for Black and White, testified that he did not see the accused around the office, where the Crown contends he bought the coupon books about midnight, after 10 o'clock when he relieved him.

## N.S.S. Reports

1,027 Vacancies

National Selective Service today reported 1,027 vacancies in the male section this week, an increase over last week's figure which showed 936 jobs to be filled. There were 224 placements, greatest being for skilled laborers. Altogether 321 men registered for employment.

In the women's section figures showed 478 awaiting employment and 191 placements. There were 350 vacancies against 377 jobs to be filled last week.

C. A. Mudge, manager of the National Selective Service office here, pointed out that although women may now seek employment without a permit they must give a seven-day separation notice to employers before leaving a job. Employers must also still give seven days' notice to women before discharge.

Okinawa Campaign  
In Final Stages;  
Capital Entered

MANILA (CP)—The 48-day-old campaign on Okinawa, major link in the Ryukyu Island chain 325 miles south of the Japanese homeland, today seemed to be entering its final phase as the U.S. 6th Marine Division fought to broaden a foothold in the capital city of Naha, and three other U.S. divisions closed on the fortress of Shuri from three sides.

In the Philippines, two traps were closing on Japanese forces isolated on Luzon and Mindanao. The U.S. 43rd Division hemmed in a large enemy force near the Ipo Dam—source of Manila's water—on Luzon, while the 40th and 31st Divisions tightened their squeeze on Japanese troops deployed along the Sayre highway on Mindanao.

The Australian 6th Division is slowly and methodically reducing bitterly-defended Japanese strong points south of Wirin Mission in the Wewak sector of northern New Guinea, an Australian army communique announced today.

Carrier aircraft battered Japanese concentrations east of the Hongkong River on Bougainville in the Solomons.

Admiral Nimitz, U.S. Pacific Fleet commander, announced in a Guam communique that a British task force had made its most successful air blow to date, destroying a number of Japanese planes and small shipping in the northeastern Sakishimas. They set fire to oil dumps and bombed a town.

The fleet delivered the attacks on the Sakishimas, southernmost of the Ryukyu Islands, Wednesday and Thursday.

Lift Restrictions  
On Auto Parts

OTTAWA (CP)—Munitions Minister Howe today announced the lifting of the last of the wartime controls on replacement parts for Canadian automobiles with removal of the inventory stock restriction by which distributors were limited to a 45-day supply of any particular part.

The emergency order certificate method by which essential vehicles could get priority on replacement parts if immobilized for lack of a part also has been eliminated because of improvement in the automotive parts supply situation in the Dominion.

Munitions and Supply Department spokesmen said there now remained no restrictions on obtaining replacement parts for any Canadian vehicle, essential or otherwise, but added it must be some time before the full effect of the order was felt by the motoring public. Manufacture of some less essential parts is still hampered by lack of materials and manpower.

Former B.C. Actor  
Dies in Hollywood

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—David Clyde, 60, portrayer of movie character roles, and a producer and theatre lessee, died Wednesday. He and actress Fay Holden would have celebrated their 31st wedding anniversary next June 24. A brother, comedian Andy Clyde, also survives him.

David Clyde was well known in B.C. as operator of the British Guild, a dramatic stock company in Vancouver prior to 1934. His wife, Fay Holden, famous for her part in the Andy Hardy series, played in the stock company as leading lady under the name of Gaby Fay.

## Nonagenarian Dies

Mrs. Rhoda Anne Galpin, 91, died at the Aged Women's Home, 837 McClure Street, Thursday after a lengthy illness.

Mrs. Galpin was born in Wandsworth, Surrey, Eng., and moved to this city many years ago from the Yukon after the death of her husband, who was a schoolteacher in the north.

For some time she lived with her husband's cousin, the late William G. Bryce of Parksville, but since 1927 has been residing at the home here.

## Airmen Freed

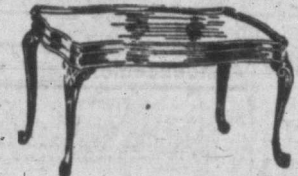
Freed overseas from internment in Germany are two Victoria R.C.A.F. men. A recent dispatch from R.C.A.F. Headquarters, Ottawa, lists FO Charles G. S. MacDonald, son of Mrs. J. A. MacDonald, 343 Michigan Avenue, and FO James Talbot Smith, son of Herbert Smith, Royal Oak, as among the ever-increasing number of former prisoners of war now liberated. MacDonald was an employee of the C.P.R. before enlisting in 1941 and attended South Park, Victoria High School and Victoria College.

With the air force since the spring of 1942, Smith received

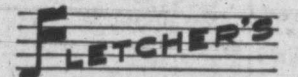
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D. R. McADAMS,  
Secretary.

## In Police Court

The alibi of the defence came to nothing in police court today when Magistrate H. C. Hall refused to believe Joginder Singh who said he had not seen the picaroon with which he allegedly smashed the drivers window of the complainant, Ram Singh, and stoutly maintained he had not even been in the vicinity at 6.30 in the evening when Ram said the damage had been done.

The magistrate fined Joginder \$15 or five days' imprisonment and ordered him to pay \$8 for the broken window or have another three days added to his sentence. Parnell Hudlin and Malkit Singh supported Ram by saying they had witnessed Joginder break the window with the picaroon.

T. W. C. Hawkins told the court he had seen Joginder for 10 or 15 minutes at 6.15, and the defence maintained Joginder could not have been where the prosecution said he was at 6.30, but the magistrate noted there was only five blocks between Mr. Hawkins' house and the scene of the window smashing, and said the alibi was no use.

The defence maintained the whole thing was a quarrel between Ram and Joginder, and that the charge against Joginder had not been laid until 11 days after the incident and after other court procedures between the two had started up-land.

his education at Royal Oak School, Mount View High School and Victoria College. He had been a prisoner more than a year.



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## Announcements

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### MARRIAGES

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DEATHS

BANNING—Sudden on May 17, 1945, at his residence, 525 Oliver Street, North Vancouver, B.C., a son of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Banning, May 15, 1945, a daughter, Carol Susan.

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In connection with their concert, which will be given Monday, May 28, in the Royal Victoria Theatre, the Victoria Symphony Society announces that an invita-

tion to attend is extended to the blind and any wishing to do so are asked to contact the box office which opens at Fletcher Bros. on Monday, May 21.

A splendid program of choral and symphonic works is now in rehearsal and will be presented under the conductorship of Melvin Knudson, by the full orchestra of over 45 musicians and a 125-voice mixed choir drawn from the choral groups of the city.

The program in detail follows:  
Overture—"Hallelujah" — Erik Satie  
Symphony in D—Allegro — Grieg  
Spanish Dance No. 4 in B—Moderato  
"Greeting to Spring" — J. Strauss  
12-Voice Chorus and Orchestra  
Sigue Jota for Suite Op. 16 — Grieg  
1—Prelude ("In the King's Hall")  
1—Triumphal March of "Mars"  
"The Death of Tannhauser"  
Ladies' Voices With 2 Harps and Horns  
"H.M.S. Pinafore"  
Selection for Orchestra  
"All Men Are Brothers" From "The Hymn of Peace"  
Chorus of 125 and Symphony Orchestra

**Dominion Stars  
Popular Gracie**

In "Molly and Me," their second picture together, Gracie Fields and Monty Woolley find themselves practically changing places as far as roles are concerned. In their first film, "Holy Matrimony," Woolley ducked out of the public spotlight and lived incognito in what he had hoped would be an uneventful life with Gracie. In their 20th Century-Fox hit, opening at the Dominion Theatre today, it's Gracie who does a turnabout by leaving a musical comedy career to live in what she had presumed would be the obscurity of a position as Woolley's housekeeper. P.S. — Just as Monty's did, Gracie's past catches up with her with hilarious results.

**Taming of Shrew  
At Royal Tomorrow**

Nobody has excited so much valuable discussion or furnished so much intellectual nourishment as William Shakespeare. In reading his works it requires constant effort to believe that such freshness, such snap and up-to-dateness, was done three centuries ago. Much that the man on the street thinks is current slang is to be found in Shakespeare. The many-sidedness of the dramatist's knowledge, a man's literary critics as do the evidences of his incomparable acquaintance with human nature. These critics claim that he has given the world more than 700 distinct characters, and stress particularly the excellence of his women characters. Not the least of this latter group is his Katharina in "The Taming of the Shrew."

Attractive Beverly Wilson, who appears as Katharina at the Royal Victoria Theatre tomorrow, cleverly portrays the process by which a spiteful, selfish, sharp-tongued young lady may be molded until her inherent sense of justice and fair play (a quality inherent in every woman) emerges and dominates her every act.

Jim Argue, as Petruchio, is the handsome, virile man that brings about this metamorphosis of "The Shrew."

Twenty-four additional members of the U.B.C. Players' Club, each of whom seems "born to the part," complete the cast. Under the capable guidance of their brilliant director, Mrs. Elsie Graham, the cast has achieved a success "verging on brilliance."

**CADET THEATRE**  
Man of multiple monickers is Carlos Ramirez, Latin American baritone, who appears in Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's technicolor musical, "Meet Me In St. Louis," starring Judy Garland at the Atlas Theatre. Mary Astor's red-blond, Miss Garland's red-copper, and Lucille Bremer's red-gold. Little Margaret O'Brien has the distinction of being the only brunette among feminine members of the cast.

**ATLAS THEATRE**  
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**YORK THEATRE**  
"Who's looney now" is a phrase made popular several years ago when a certain millionaire named Chalmers, accused by his relatives of being slightly cracked, beat them in a law suit and triumphantly uttered the quoted words. One is reminded of the occasion now when considering Columbia's Frank Capra picture, "Mr. Deeds Goes to Town," showing today at the York Theatre, in which Gary Cooper, as a young man who has recently inherited \$20,000,000, is put on trial for his sanity because some people don't like the way he is spending money.

Before the trial is over Cooper turns the tables and practically convinces the judge, jury and spectators that everyone is looney but he.

**OAK BAY AND PLAZA THEATRES**  
Three guys try to blitz the beauty business... and get caught in the gayest carnival of fun and laughter that ever filled your eyes... your ears... your heart! Here's the season's most joyous, glorious musical-lull, Columbia Pictures' "Ever Since Venus," play at the Oak Bay and Plaza Theatres bringing you the kind of happy entertainment all of us need! Loaded with laughs, jammed with jive... gay with girls... it's fun, fun, fun for the whole family!

Ina Ray Hutton with her orchestra, Hugh Herbert, Ann Savage, Billy Gilbert, Glen Farr, Ross Hunter and Alan Mowbray are the funsters in the cast, and it was directed by Arthur Dreifuss from a screen play by McElbert Moore and Mr. Dreifuss.

**Where To Go Tonight**

(As Advertised)  
ATLAS—"Meet Me in St. Louis," starring Judy Garland.  
CADET—"Red Skelton in "Bathing Beauty."  
CAPITOL—"Spencer Tracy in "Thirty Seconds Over Tokyo."  
DOMINION—"Gracie Fields and Monty Woolley in "Molly and Me."  
OAK, BAY-PLAZA—"Ever Since Venus," starring Ina Ray Hutton.  
RIO—"Sage Brush Heroes," starring Charles Starrett.  
YORK—"Gary Cooper and Jean Arthur in "Mr. Deeds Goes to Town."



A. ST. CLAIR GORDON

who has been elected a director of the Dominion Bank. Mr. Gordon, a former member of the Ontario Legislature and Provincial Treasurer, is President and General Manager of Schultz Die Casting Company of Canada Limited, Wallaceburg, Ont.

**Dr. Pearce to Speak  
Before Royal Society**

Meetings of the Royal Society of Canada to be held shortly at Kingston, Ont., will be represented from Victoria by Dr. J. A. Pearce, director, Dominion Astrophysical Observatory, and president of Section 3 of the society.

Dr. Pearce, apart from presiding at meetings of the society, will conduct a symposium on the general topic of "The Dimensions of the Galaxy." Dr. Helen Hogg, formerly of Victoria, will take part in the symposium, speaking on "The Dimensions of the Galaxy as Defined by the System of Globular Clusters." Dr. C. S. Beals also will contribute a paper.

Dr. Pearce will deal with the dimensions of the Milky Way as derived from studies of the Galactic Rotation.

Dr. K. O. Wright of the Observatory staff will present a paper on "Oscillator Strengths as Determined from Atomic Lines in the Solar Spectrum."

**Esquimalt Discussion  
On Bryden Estate**

Nearly 50 men and women gathered in the municipal hall at Esquimalt Thursday night to hear Reeve Thomas Hadfield and representatives of various organizations outline details of the proposed purchase of the Bryden property for a community war memorial and recreation grounds.

The price at which the property has been offered, \$8,000 was considered "a very fair one" by Reeve Hadfield, who said the land would be a great benefit to Lampson Street School playground space.

"Is the condition of the roads and sidewalks not a more pressing need than another playground?" queried Councillor J. P. A. Christensen as members of the audience took part in the lengthy discussion.

Property owners will vote on the by-law Saturday.

**Aluminum Contract  
Drastically Cut**

MONTREAL (CP) — The Aluminum Company of Canada announced today that it had received cancellation from the United States of more than half of a 250,000,000-pound aluminum contract. It said the original contract had been reduced to 100,000,000 pounds.

This contract was placed in March of this year when production was 'all out' in accordance with the War Production Board policy at that time, but because of the possibility of an early end to the European conflict, a cancellation clause gave the U.S. the option of cancelling 150,000,000 pounds on 65 days' notice, the announcement said.

**Orangemen Flay  
Pope, de Valera,  
Canada's Policies**

Provincial Grand Lodge of the Royal Orange Association ended sessions Thursday night with a banquet at the Empress Hotel when some 300 provincial delegates, Orangemen and their ladies, representatives of the Grand Black Chapter of British Columbia and the Grand Lodge of the Ladies' Orange Benevolent Association attended. Resolutions passed during Thursday afternoon's session included the following:

"We express our loathing and contempt for De Valera and the government of southern Ireland and all parties and groups claiming temporal power who are friendly to the Fascist or Nazi leaders or supporters of such, and urge that they be branded and punished with other traitors and war criminals who have so seriously threatened the freedom of the world and the preservation of civil and religious liberty, whether under the guise of neutrality or otherwise."

"We wholeheartedly endorse the resolution — demanding the exclusion of the Pope of Rome from the Peace Conference. We pledge our every effort to oppose the attempt to involve the free democratic states in any deal in which the Vatican State or any representative thereof, or the representative of any Protestant or Jewish establishment of religion shall have part or place, either at the Peace Conference or in the dictation of policies or the conduct of public affairs."

"We express our unalterable opposition to the policy adopted by the Dominion government of the appeasement of, and servile attitude toward Quebec, and its efforts and those of the radio commission of Canada to extend throughout Canada use of the French language, or, rather, patois, far beyond the limit set by the B.N.A. Act, and also our due appreciation of the puerile efforts made by such authorities to excuse or justify same."

**CONSCRIPTION ISSUE**

"We unhesitatingly condemn the policy of indirect coercion by the Dominion government which has so clearly evaded and refused to comply with the expressed wishes of the Canadian people as to the proper enforcement of the Military Service Act in its effort to procure the assent to service in the forthcoming operations against Japan of those loyal Canadian forces who have served so long and faithfully in the European theatre of war."

A toast to the city of Victoria was proposed by J. Humphries and Mrs. George, wife of the mayor, replied in his absence.

A toast to the Grand Lodge by Mrs. I. S. Burt was responded to by Grand Master J. E. Clancy, Vancouver. J. McMillan gave the toast to the province, and Hon. Norman W. Whitaker, K.C., Speaker of the House, replied. R. Mennie gave the toast to L.O.B.A. of B.C., and Mrs. M. Paterson, Grand Mistress of B.C., responded. V. E. Morrow offered the toast to the Grand Black Chapter, which was responded to by Chapter Grand Master W. S. Knox, Abbotsford. Six local lodges had representatives present, including the Juvenile Orange Association. O. W. Wakelin spoke on their behalf.

R. W. Black, Past Grand Master, spoke on "British America."

Officers installed were: J. McMillan, Hammond, deputy grand master; W. J. Calhoun, New Westminster, junior deputy grand master; Rev. Canon Barrett, Chilliwack, grand chaplain; J. Grant, White Rock, grand secretary; J. S. Humphries, Victoria, deputy grand secretary; W. H. Brett, Vancouver, grand treasurer; W. E. Jones, Silverdale, grand marshal; W. S. Knox, Abbotsford, grand lecturer; J. R. McDonald, Princeton, deputy grand lecturer; A. N. Middleton and E. B. Langdale, Vancouver.

**Navy Rating Enjoys Shore Leave**



Back in Victoria on 42 days' leave after service overseas, OS. Nelson Martin was greeted on his arrival at the C.P.R. dock, Thursday, by his mother, Mrs. S. Martin, 2119 Chambers Street, and Miss Myrtle Bent. Martin was a member of the crew of H.M.C.S. Waterford working from the United Kingdom.

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nearly a year, has completed a huge tunnel and fish ladder on the Canadian Pacific Railway side of the river and these now are filling rapidly with water as the river rises under pressure of the spring freshets. They will provide for the salmon an easy passage around the swirling waters of the canyon itself.

The Fraser now is rising three to four feet a day at Hell's Gate. Fraser River salmon, which constitute a major part of one of the province's greatest industries, this year will be able to reach their spawning grounds without danger or delay at Hell's Gate, one-time death trap for thousands of their kind.

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# BOOKS.....

## SOUTH AMERICAN POWER

"Brazil, Giant to the South," by Alice Rogers Hager (Macmillan Company).

HERE is a picture story of the country which covers nearly half of South America and whose people come from many different lands. The author's narrative gives the historical background of Brazil, tells of its riches and note, that it will be a coming power in the western hemisphere. Pictures by Jackie Martin emphasize the text and show the beauties of this South American country. The photographer, first woman member of the White House Photographers' Association, accompanied Mrs. Hager on the trip. She took over 3,000 pictures from which the selection was made.

## GAY VIENNA

"Once in Vienna" by Vicki Baum (Oxford University Press).

WITH cosmopolitan, opera-going Vienna as a background, Vicki Baum describes the emotional and hyper-civilized people with whom her writing is most at home. This is one of her earlier books, written in the style of "Grand Hotel."

Hannes Rasmussen is a famous opera star idolized by the female music students in his class. He bitterly resents his wife's preoccupation with her own career and turns to a series of affairs. "Once in Vienna" is chiefly concerned with his affair with the brilliant Dima which ends in a reconciliation for Hannes and his

## Library Leaders.

Diggon-Hibben Ltd. — "They Change their Skies," Letitia Preston Osborne; "Payoff for the Banker," Frances and R. Lockridge; "Green Armor," Omar White.

Hudson's Bay Co. — "Now That April's Here," Daisy Neumann; "Steps in the Dark," Martin Cumberland; "Guns for Tito," Louis Huot.

David Spencer Ltd. — "And Yet I Liked America," J. L. Hodson; "The Prisoner," Ernest Lothar; "The Deadly Dove," Rufus King.

wife and which pushes Dima forward on the road to fame. All of Miss Baum's brilliance in style and in analysis of human reaction is in this story which will be eagerly greeted by her numerous admirers.

## FOR JUNIOR ARTISTS

"Young Rembrandt Coloring Book," Paint Books Ltd.

THIS BOOK, produced in Vancouver by Canadian artists and from Canadian paper, is designed for the early school-age child and to give them a better knowledge and understanding of the coloring of birds and animals.

A color chart is provided, showing the exact coloring of the 32 creatures pictured, for the child to copy. It would be easier for little hands, however, if the pages had been just a bit smaller, as they are a little better than foolscap size.

## 9 Dogs Gang Up To Kill Woman; Owner Faces Charge

MIAMI, Fla. (AP)—Federal, state and county investigations were being carried out today into the death of Mrs. Doretta Zinke, 39, who succumbed within 90 minutes after a mass attack by nine bull terriers.

Joe Munn, 43, of Hialeah, owner of the dogs, was held on a charge of manslaughter. Leon Shaffer of the State Attorney's office said he had found "several discrepancies" in Munn's story of the strange episode.

Muttied from head to foot but still conscious, Mrs. Zinke was found at 9 o'clock Wednesday night by two Army Air Forces men. She was lying, stripped nude by the attack, in a lonely field outside Miami Springs.

"Dogs! Dogs!" the woman whispered when the soldiers asked what had happened.

Mrs. Zinke retained consciousness long enough to dictate a letter to her son, Sgt. R. M. Zinke.

County solicitor Robert Taylor said he would prosecute the case "to the full extent of the law," but acknowledged that final disposition of the charges against Munn were in doubt. Taylor said the crux of the legal situation surrounding the manslaughter charge against Munn hinged on the word "wilfully," written into the Florida State code.

Taylor said the state probably would have to prove the dogs had been "wilfully" allowed to run at large.

Questioned about the dogs Thursday, Munn was quoted by police as saying: "They are a bad strain. They must be destroyed."

## Roosevelt Likeness On New U.S. Dime

WASHINGTON (AP)—Franklin D. Roosevelt's likeness is going on a new 10-cent piece.

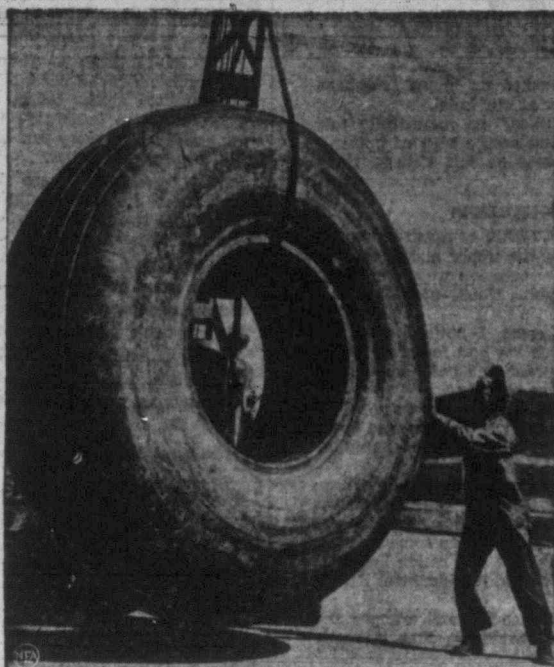
Treasury Secretary Morgenthau announced Thursday that new dimes — which will eventually replace all dimes now in circulation — will be minted "just as promptly as we can" and that they will be ready for distribution about the end of this year.

## No Saluting To Nazi Officers

LONDON (Reuters) — Arthur Henderson, Financial Secretary to the War Office, told the House of Commons Thursday that Gen. Eisenhower, the Allied Supreme Commander, had issued an order stating that in no circumstances were any Allied troops to salute German officers or officials.

He was replying to Moelwyn Hughes, Labor, who declared that orders had been given to certain British troops that German officers should be saluted.

VANCOUVER (CP)—William Haines, 29-year-old soldier, was remanded until Monday when he appeared in police court today for preliminary hearing on a charge of murder in connection with the death of Olga Hawryluk, 22-year-old cafe waitress. Her body was found May 2 in the surf off one of Vancouver's beaches.



IMAGINE A BLOW-OUT ON THIS!—A workman is dwarfed by the world's largest aircraft tire, a little experimental number whipped up by Goodyear Tire and Rubber Co., and now being tested by the U.S. Air Technical Service Command at Wright Field, Ohio. Of natural rubber, the big "shoe" measures 110 inches in diameter and required 100 pounds of air—by weight—to inflate it.

## Uncle Ray

### DROOPING LEAVES AND FALLING LIQUID GAVE NAME TO WEEPING TREES

Among the many kinds of willow trees, is the weeping willow. It was given this name because its branches and leaves hang downward, drooping as if they were in sorrow.

Weeping willows are fairly common in some parts of this continent, but they are not native trees. They have been brought in from abroad, and their first home seems to have been China.



Our artist drew this picture to illustrate the Canary Island tale about a "weeping tree."

The weeping willow is the best known "weeping tree," but there are others. The rare weeping spruce is found on mountains in northern California and southern Oregon. Weeping oaks and weeping red cedars also seem a bit sad. California has a weeping palm, but it is better known as the fan palm.

Other weeping trees do not have drooping leaves or branches. People who have gone under them have felt liquid falling on them! So many stories of this kind were told that several scientists gave study to the problem.

It has been found that bits of liquid really drop from the branches of some trees. When I say this, I am not speaking about dripping which is common under trees after a rain, and I am not thinking of dew.

The dripping may take place when there has been no rain for several days. A man who stands under such a tree for 10 or 15 minutes may find his hat and coat fairly wet.

The dripping is due to insects which feed on the trees. These

insects are related to froghoppers. During their "nymph" stage they give off a watery liquid and when thousands of them work on a tree, they may make the space below rather wet.

A strange tale was told by Spaniards who conquered the Canary Islands five centuries ago. The Spaniards reported seeing a tree which dropped so much water that the natives took it by the gallon from a pond underneath! Modern travelers have failed to find any tree which drops water, or any other liquid, by the gallon.

(For Nature section of your scrapbook.)

UNCLE RAY.

## Cut in Taxes Not Affecting Ceiling Price, Says Board

OTTAWA (CP)—Reduction in sales and special taxes announced last week by Finance Minister Ilsley does not affect ceiling prices of goods, the Prices Board said in a press release Thursday.

Mr. Ilsley announced May 10 the removal of a 25 per cent special excise tax on household electric and gas appliances; reduction from 25 to 10 per cent of the special excise tax on radios, phonographs and cameras; removal of the eight per cent sales tax on building materials and reductions in the special excise tax on passenger automobiles.

"Manufacturers, importers and others who were required to account for such taxes to the government are not legally bound to reduce their prices," the board's statement said. "Their lawful maximum prices prior to May 10 continue to be their lawful maximum prices notwithstanding the reduction or removal of a tax which constituted a portion of the selling price."

## 80,387 British Civilians Killed

LONDON (AP)—Home Secretary Herbert Morrison said Thursday London suffered 80,387 civilian casualties during the war. Of these 29,890 were killed and 50,497 were injured seriously enough to require hospital detention.

## Today's Crossword Puzzle

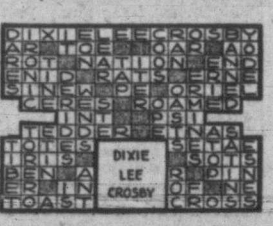
**HORIZONTAL**

1. Fettered U.S. congressman
2. Caravan
3. Atomizer
4. Fish eggs
5. Parting material
6. Always
7. Crooked
8. Vase
9. Exhibit
10. Electrical unit
11. Call to excite attention
12. Fish
13. Vegetable
14. Triple crown
15. Brother of a parent
16. Deputy
17. Shabby
18. Electrical engineer (ab.)
19. And (Latin)
20. Capital
21. Turn about
22. Wolf in sheep's clothing
23. Musical note
24. Passing fancy
25. United States
26. Vase (ab.)
27. Expressing scorn
28. Bull
29. Exit

**VERTICAL**

1. Thuringian town
2. Rough (verb)
3. Above
4. British Island (ab.)
5. Isaac's eldest son (ab.)
6. Tree of Java
7. Attempt
8. Louisiana (ab.)
9. Indian name
10. Roman emperor
11. Pulley
12. Lined
13. Poems
14. No representative
15. The state of California
16. He is a member of the U.S. House of Representatives
17. Station (ab.)
18. His
19. Feminine name
20. Prisoner
21. Aged
22. French marshal under Napoleon
23. Pain
24. Couple
25. Otherwise
26. Mentally sound
27. From
28. Try down
29. Musical instrument
30. Employers
31. Terminal
32. Suit
33. Excavate
34. South Carolina
35. Duke (ab.)
36. Other

(Answer to previous puzzle)



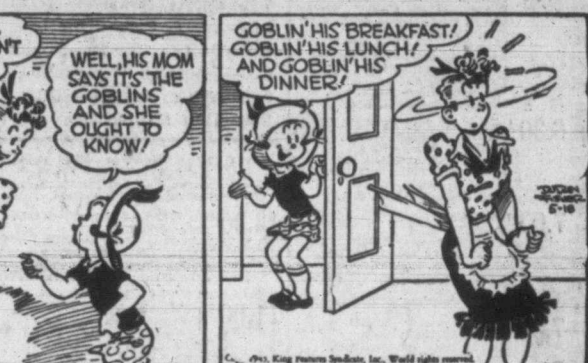
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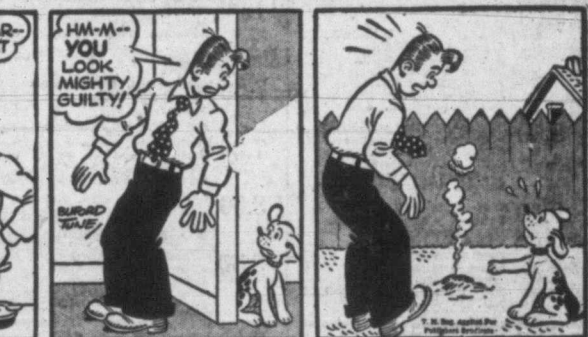
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## AROUND HOME



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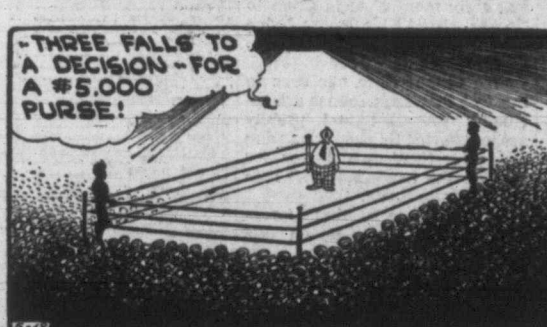
## MR. AND MRS.



## WASH TUBS



## BOOTS



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